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HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE IS SUDDENLY RESUMED IN WEST

Austro-German Advance in Galicia and Poland Continues Unchecked.

NO LET-UP IS IN SIGHT

Activity at Dardanelles Increases; Allied Land Forces Gaining.

London, July 2.—The sudden resumption of heavy artillery fire by the Germans in France is a marked feature of the fighting on the western front while the Austro-German advance in Galicia and Poland is unchecked and the Teutons have shown no disposition to diminish the intensity of their eastern offensive.

The Polish fortress of Zamosc has been completed and Berlin claims advances in other sectors of strategic importance in the East. For weeks it has been the same story in this theatre—an Austro-German rush, a Russian retreat—and the end is not in sight.

There has been during the week no official news from the British front in Flanders, but General Sir Ian Hamilton, commanding the allied land forces at the Dardanelles, in his second official dispatch of the week, records the repulse of a vicious counter-attack by the Turks who were bent on recovering lost ground south of the fortified hill of Achi Baba and the strong position at Krithia which the British for some time have been attempting to envelop.

The British forged forward last Monday and the following day and the Turks after sapping and mining, launched a counter stroke with the bayonet. This was crushed, while the French forces operating on the right in Kereves dere Valley, toward the east coast of Gallipoli, advanced and consolidated ground won the last of June.

Despite hard fighting ever since the landing on April 25, the Franco-British expedition only lately has achieved anything notable toward strengthening its hold on the tip of the Gallipoli peninsula. Achi Baba is a small Gibraltar, bristling with machine guns, surrounded by barbed wire and terraced with trenches. This is the reason why any allied progress is hailed with great satisfaction in England.

It is interesting to note the tributes to the Turks' bravery and even gallantry paid in almost every dispatch from British correspondents at the Dardanelles. At no time during the peninsula fighting have the Turks been accused of atrocities.

The munitions measure giving David Lloyd George, minister of munitions, wide power to whip up the ammunitions supply passed the House of Lords today and will be a statute when the king affixes his signature.

British Realizing Truth.

There are manifold indications throughout the United Kingdom that the people only now, after nearly a year, fully sense the seriousness of the war. Only a few wmonths ago the boast war. Only a few months ago the boast patronage was undiminished and the restaurant trade normal. The cabinet ministers now are urging the necessity of the most rigid economy by individuals and school children are being besought to invest in the war loan. The newspapers daily are carrying full page advertisements of the war loan.

Teutonic successes in Galicia, the slowness of the Dardanelles operations, and the failure of the Allies to inaugurate the much discussed offensive in the West are responsible for this change in public demeanor.

NAVAL ACTION REPORTED

Reports Indicate That Several German Vessels Were Damaged.

London, July 2.—"A naval action occurred this morning off the east coast of the island of Gothland," says Reuter's Stockholm correspondent. "The German mine layer Albatross was chased by four Russian cruisers and ran aground to escape capture. Twenty-one of the mine layer's crew were killed and 27 wounded."

German Cruiser Lost.

Copenhagen, July 2 (via London, July 3).—The German battleship Wittelsbach which is damaged and a battleship of the Kaiser class, with many shots under the water line from the battle in the Baltic have returned to Kiel.

The Politiken's Petrograd correspondent states that it is reported that not only was a German torpedo boat sunk at Windau but that a cruiser of the Magdeburg type also was lost.

WILL WELCOME MISS ADDAMS

Expected Sunday in New York From Peace Tour of Europe.

New York, July 2.—Jane Addams, who has been in Europe for three months interviewing rulers and high officials of the belligerent nations in an effort to bring about peace, will be tendered a public welcome July 13 at Carnegie Hall by the Women's Peace Party and other peace organizations, it was announced tonight. Miss Addams is aboard the St. Louis, due here Sunday.

Miss Addams, an announcement from the Woman's Peace Party says, on her arrival will confer immediately with President Wilson. She will go either to Washington or Cornish, probably Monday.

Miss Addams left New York with 50 American women to attend the International Congress of Women at The Hague

FIVE VESSELS OF BRITISH ARE SUNK

WASHINGTON, D. C. Library of Congress

German Submarine Active Off South Ireland.

MOST OF CREWS SAVED

Three Steamers, Bark and a Schooner Were Character of Vessels Torpedoed—Little Chance for Escaping—One Cargo Sugar

London, July 2.—Three British steamers, the Caucasian, Inglemoor and Welbury, the bark Sardoxne and the schooner C. L. Tower were reported today to have been sunk by German submarines in the vicinity of the Scilly Islands and off South Ireland.

The Caucasian met her fate Southwest of Lizard Head on the coast of Cornwall on Thursday morning. While engaged in picking up her crew the Inglemoor fell a victim to the same submarine.

The Caucasian, when the submarine opened fire, was given full steam in an endeavor to escape.

Not until the steamer was struck by several shots, one of which demolished the wheel, did her captain surrender. The crew then took to the boats. The submarine hauled alongside and fired eight shells into the vessel. A dog belonging to the captain of the Caucasian jumped overboard and the captain plunged from one of the boats into the rough sea and rescued his pet.

A few hours later the Inglemoor appeared on the scene and started picking up the Caucasian's boats. The Inglemoor had taken the occupants of the small boats on board when the submarine emerged and opened fire on her. Escape being hopeless, the crew took to the boats and the submarine then torpedoed and sunk the Inglemoor, subsequently returning to the Caucasian which was still floating and sending her to the bottom.

The crew of the Inglemoor and a part of the crew of the Caucasian were landed at Pensance but one of the Caucasian's boats, with 19 men aboard, was being rowed toward France when last sighted.

The commander of the submarine which sunk the Welbury was delighted when he learned she carried a cargo of sugar. After the ship left Cuba it was discovered that some one had painted inside the vessel's forehold the words:

"You have a cargo of sugar for England but you will never get there".

The crews of the Welbury, Tower and Sardozen are reported saved.

PRESIDENT EXPECTS GERMAN NOTE JULY 8

Will Return to Washington to Consider It

Spent Yesterday Studying European Situation With the Possibilities of Peace—Has Reports of Colonel House.

Cornish, N. H., July 2.—President Wilson today received information from Washington that Germany's reply to the last American note on submarine warfare might be expected about July 8 and he intends to return to Washington July 9 or 10 to consider the note with Secretary Lansing and others of his cabinet.

Word to the President today that Washington officials are not deeply disturbed over the sinking of the steamer Armenian and unless new facts develop in the official investigation now being conducted the sinking of the vessel is not expected to complicate negotiations with Germany over submarine warfare. The President is holding himself free, however, to take up the question with Germany if any American rights are found to have been infringed on.

The President spent most of today studying the general European situation, including the possibilities of peace. He had before him confidential reports of Colonel E. M. House, Ambassador Gerard, Secretary Lansing and others. He has been gathering these reports for several months and is now taking the opportunity offered by freedom from minor worries to go over them and familiarize himself with the foreign situation. He will be given additional information about the possibilities of peace in Europe soon after his return to Washington.

Washington, June 3.—Secretary Lansing indicated today that he does not expect that German's reply to the latest American note regarding the Lusitania incident will be transmitted until July 4 at least. According to Berlin press advices, the answer now is before Emperor William at army headquarters. A delay until next week will bring the new German note to Washington after President Wilson's return from Cornish, N. H.

Newport News, Va., July 2.—The New York and Porto Rican Freight steamer Mariana constructed here, will leave tomorrow morning for New York to be turned over to her owners. Speed and endurance tests will be made on the trip up the coast. The Mariana is designed for the coastwise trade.

PREPARE TO CARE FOR COTTON CROP

Federal Reserve Board Taking Active Steps.

HARDING ASKS VIEWS

Wants Information from Reserve Agents as to Best Way to Protect Cotton Farmer in Event of Poor Market Conditions.

Washington, July 2.—The Federal Reserve Board has decided to take every possible precaution to prevent a recurrence next fall of conditions such a sconfronted the South last year as a result of unusually large cotton crop and the shutting off of a large part of the European market.

The board has appointed a committee with W. P. G. Harding as chairman to determine the best way in which the coming crop may be taken care of. Although no one on the board pretends to be able to forecast accurately the next cotton crop, members think it will not be more than 12,000,000 bales. Last year's production was slightly more than 16,000,000 bales.

Mr. Harding has written a letter to the Federal Reserve agent of each of the four Southern Federal Reserve Banks asking for information and expressing the belief that with large surplus reserves in the banks there is every reason to expect that the next crop can be taken care of without difficulty. He also noted that the domestic demand for cotton is increasing. Mr. Harding's letter adds:

"The committee believes that arrangements should be made to assure producers of cotton of the co-operation of merchants and bankers in the proper handling of the crop.

"In this connection attention is called to the estimate by the Department of Agriculture that the South now has a warehouse capacity of 9,664,000 bales. If proper use is made of this capacity and of the loanable resources of the banks, including both members and non-members of the Federal Reserve system, a gradual marketing of the crop will be entirely possible and another danger of a repetition of last year's conditions will be averted.

"The writer, as chairman of the board's committee, would be glad to have your views on this subject and is anxious to secure your co-operation in formulating plans to reassure and protect the farmers, merchants and others interested in our cotton growing industry."

FORTY NEW DENTISTS LICENSED BY BOARD

Names of Successful Ones Announced by Dr. Hunt

Announcement of List Made in Asheville Last Night—Two of the New Dentists Are Colored, One Wilmington Man.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., July 2.—New dentists licensed by the State Board of Dental Examiners, as announced by Secretary F. L. Hunt, of this city, today, are:

Ellis Leftrage Edwards, Sparta; Frank Hicks Underwood, Roseboro; James Arthur Blalock, Four Oaks; James William Brown, Woodlawn; Warren Frank Yates, Chadbourn; William Theadore Ralph, Belhaven; Laurence J. Davenport (colored) Wilmington; James Norris Sturdistan, Marshville; Chas. Blanchard Simmons, Spartanburg; Solomon Brantley Bivens, Marshville; Chas. Thurston Almond, Andrews; Avery Giles Holmes, Jr., Council; Walton H. Mosely (colored), Charlotte; Ben Hill Webster, Madison; Hugh Mebane Tarpley, Spartanburg; Everette Glenn Salmons, Boone; Alfred Mark Schultz, Greenville; Edgar McMillan, Hendersonville; Edward Rudolph Warren, Prospect Hill; Henry C. Carr, Wallace; Lois Eunice McKeown, Stanly; Grover C. Haynes, Cliffside; Arthur Albert Lawrey, Arden; Walker J. Payne, Axton, Va.; Brantley Ingold Newsom, Salisbury; Bollin Lee Milliner, Rockingham; Richard Carlisle Weaver, Weaversville; Conrad Lucius Inman, Mt. Airy; John Raymond Edwards, Cary; Neil Kelly Currie, Vineland; James Hutchinson, Marshall; Howard Lee Williamson, Cerro Gordo; James Gladstone Crutchfield, Guilford College; John Farris Williamson, Clinton; John Robinson Secrest, Unionville; Clarence R. Hutchinson, Walnut Cove; Wilbur Nesbitt Scruggs, Rutherfordton; Frank B. Netherland, Asheville; D. F. Keel, and T. A. Campbell, addresses not given.

Kansas City, Mo., July 2.—The improbability of a fourth trial of Dr. B. Clark Hyde on the charge of murdering Col. Thomas H. Swope, was increased today by the announcement of Mrs. Logan O. Swope, sister of the late Kansas City philanthropist, that the Swope family would give no further financial assistance to the prosecution.

HOLIDAY MONDAY

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BOMB EXPLODED IN NATIONAL CAPITOL LATE LAST NIGHT

Public Reception Room on the East Side of the Building Wrecked

NO PERSON INJURED

Detonation Heard For a Mile and Attracts Excited Crowds to Scene

Washington, July 2.—A tremendous explosion, believed to have been caused by some kind of bomb or infernal machine, wrecked the public reception room on the east side of the Capitol building shortly before midnight tonight. No one was injured.

Officials believe that the explosive was placed by a crank who desired to create a sensation. Visitors were allowed in the room during the day and a timed machine might have been left without attracting attention.

Superintendent Wood, of the Capitol building, summoned by panic-stricken watchmen, made a hurried investigation and then telephoned for an expert on explosives.

Until the expert has made his report no official statement concerning the incident will be made public.

The building had ben closed since dark and there was no one in it but the watchmen and telephone switchboard operators. Watchman Jones on the floor below at the East entrance said he was blown from his chair.

The report could be heard for a mile and in a few minutes a crowd of excited people had gathered. In the meantime lights had ben switched on and excited officials were rushing back and forth on two floors of the great building.

After the first rumors of a bomb, some of the investigators concluded that the blast had been caused by spontaneous combustion in a gas pipe. The sides of the wall were torn out, however, and all the pipes apparently were intact. There had been no gas fixtures on the Senate side since an explosion ocurred there nearly 20 years ago, it was said.

A strong odor permeated the building, but none seemed able to detect what it was. No trace could be found of an exploded bomb or of anything else which might have caused the explosion.

Superintendent Wood said he had examined the structural features of the building and found there was no damage except in the immediate vicinity of the reception room.

While some officals thought the explosion was the work of an irresponsible crank with no other end in view than a sensation, others seriously suggested that it might have been perpetrated by some one desiring to demonstrate his disapproval of some of the policies of the American government. It was apparently there was no intent to destroy life as it is generally known the room is empty at night.

The doors of the capitol were closed immediately after the explosion and no one was permitted to enter while the investigation was underway. While the origin of the explosion had not been explained, some reports in circulation said it might have been caused by a bomb.

Reports said the windows in the reception room had been blown out, that

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NO COMPLICATIONS TO COME FROM ARMENIAN

Officials Satisfied There is no Danger

Meager Details Bear Out Press Reports That Vessel Failed to Heed German Commander's Warning.

Washington, July 2.—The State Department had not received up to late today a complete or a comprehensive report concerning torpedoing of the British steamer Armenian with a loss of American lives. The delay was understood to be due to the garbling in transmission of a long report forwarded by Consul Armstrong at Bristol, who interviewed survivors.

State Department officials directed that this message be repeated at its place of origin. Such details as were understood, it was said, failed to heed the Germans' warning to stop.

Facts concerning the action of the submarine after the vessel finally came to a stop are sought to learn whether opportunity was afforded the Americans to be saved.

Press dispatches have satisfied high officials that there is no danger of complications with Germany over the incident.

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Governor Who Saved Frank on New Honeymoon

Ex-Governor Slaton and Wife of Georgia.

Ex-Governor Slaton of Georgia, who commuted the sentence of Leo M. Frank to life imprisonment, arrived in New York with Mrs. Slaton a few hours after his term of office in Georgia expired. They said they had come on a new honeymoon, since neither had had much time during the last fifteen years to take a rest.

"I would have felt like an assassin if I had allowed Frank to be executed," he said. "There is a grave doubt in my mind as to his guilt being established by legal and credible evidence, and it was my duty to act as I did."

"The mob that raised the outcry against the commutation of sentence did not consist of representative citizens of Georgia. They were the riff raff, the men and boys who are being supported by their wives and mothers.

"On the other hand, there are some excellent citizens who asked why I interfered with the mandates of a judge and jury. They appear to have forgotten that the constitution is the supreme law of the State and that its clear mandate to the conscience of the governor in a case of doubtful guilt supersedes the judgement of the court."

SAYS BECKER HAD NO PART IN MURDER

"Absolutely Nothing to Do With It", Says Webber.

SCHEPPS HAS SECRET

Said to Have Declared He Knows the Secret That Would Clear Becker and Would Tell Whitman, if Asked

New York, July 3.—Bridgie Webber, one of the three self-confessed accomplices in the plot which resulted in the killing of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, has said, according to his attorney, that Charles Becker "had absolutely nothing to do with the murder". Becker faces death in the electric chair on July 26, unless the Federal courts intervene.

A statement to that effect was made today by H. T. Marshall an attorney.

"Becker," said Mr. Marshall, 'had absolutely nothing to do with the murder of Rosenthal. Bridgie Webber, when he employed me as his counsel at the first trial, admitted this to me, and said he and the others were perjuring themselves in order to save their skins. When Webber told me that I told him to get another lawyer.

"From that time on my mouth was sealed. I could not speak because of professional obligations. But had I not been convinced of Becker's innocence I would not have aligned myself with the lawyers in his defense at the second trial. I never would have entered the case had I not known from what Bridgie Webber told me that Becker was deliberately 'framed up' by Webber, Harry Vallon, Jack Rose and Sam Schepps."

Schepps Claims to Know Secret

Sam Schepps, on whom the state relied during the first trial of Becker to corroborate the testimony of Rose, Vallen and Webber, was quoted today as saying he held "the secret of the Becker case," and was willing to tell Governor Whitman.

"Whitman can get the secret for the asking," Schepps was quoted as saying. "The story is so clear any one will believe it, but as for proof—say, do you want that I shall go so far as to bring Becker back to Broadway and me take his place in the electric chair? I hung myself enough in the case and there's nothing doing any more".

"The secret", to which Schepps was quoted as having referred, is, believed to be what was said at a recent meeting between Mrs. Charles Becker and Rose in Schepps' jewelry store.

Other developments in the case followed in rapid succession. These were that Marshall intends to go before Chief Justice Bartlett of the court of

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HUERTA IS BEING CLOSELY WATCHED

United States is Not Taking Any Chances.

KEEP HIM FROM MEXICO

Precautions Taken to Prevent Him From Creating Disturbance. Talk of His Re-arrest on Extradition Request.

Washington, July 2.—The United States is determined that General Victoriano Huerta shall not re-enter Mexico from American territory while he may constitute a factor for the disturbance of the political or military situation. By just what means Huerta is to be held has not been determined. He now is at liberty on bond and will be given a hearing July 12, when the Department of Justice will endeavor to press its charge of neutrality violations. Meanwhile department agents are keeping Huerta under surveillance.

Emphasis was laid in official quarters today on the possible re-arrest of Huerta as a result of a formal request for extradition received yesterday from the Villa governor of the state of Chihuahua. Should the government fail to prove that Huerta is guilty of violating American neutrality or decide to withdraw its charges, high officials pointed out he could be re-arrested and held for 40 days without bail pending receipt of evidence from the Villa authorities.

At the end of the 40-day period Huerta would be given a hearing and discretionary power would be exercised by the Secretary of State to follow or ignore the Federal commissioner before whom extradition charges might be heard.

Talk of Deportation.

Some talk was heard today about a possible deportation of Huerta to Spain. Assistant Attorney General Warren, of the Department of Justice, conferred with Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Labor, and Commissioner General Caminetti, of the Immigration Bureau, on the subject. Officials generally, however, doubted that any statute could be invoked to warrant deportation.

In the event Huerta finally is freed it is expected government agents and the military authorities will keep him under watch and prevent his return to Mexico. Officials think he would prefer to remain in the United States rather than take such a chance.

AGED AND EXILED EX-PRESIDENT OF MEXICO IS DEAD

General Porfirio Diaz Dies in Unpretentious Home in Paris.

WIFE AND SON PRESENT

Resigned as Master of Mexican Government Four Years Ago.

Paris, July 2.—General Porfirio Diaz, former president of Mexico, died here early tonight. General Diaz's wife, Senora Romero Rubio Diaz, and their son and the latter's wife were by his side when the end came.

General Diaz began to fail rapidly about three weeks ago and, while his death was not unexpected, owing to his advanced age and recent failing health, the crisis came suddenly this afternoon. Porfirio Diaz, Jr., and his wife were hastily summoned and arrived at the bedside only a few moments before the end, which came at 7 o'clock tonight.

Colonel Diaz, in announcing the death of his father, said that he was unable to state the nature of the malady but expressed the opinion that a complication of diseases due to advanced age was the cause.

Two tragic circumstances marked the death of the exiled ruler. Owing to the troubled state in Mexico it has been judged impossible to send the body home with all the ceremony which would have befitted one of the figures of Mexican history, and further Colonel Diaz, Jr., has tried in vain to inform his sisters, Senora Ignacio De La Torre and Senora Rincon Gallardo, now in Mexico, of their father's death.

Not less tragic, perhaps, is the fact that no one of those whom General Diaz raised up as his assistants in governing Mexico and who prospered and grew rich in the shadow of his greatness were with him when he died. Jose Yves de Limantour, former Mexican minister of finance, is in London; Francisco De La Barra, former provisional president of Mexico and holder of other important positions, and Guillermo De Landa, former governor of the Federal district in Mexico, are in Diarritz, France. Scarcely any one outside the family knew of the seriousness of General Diaz's illness or that he was in Paris.

The letter with which General Porfirio Diaz announced, on May 25, 1911, his resignation from the presidency of Mexico after having been master of the country for 35 years gives in his own words an interesting glimpse of his remarkable career. It reads:

"Sir: The Mexican people who generously have covered me with honors, who proclaimed me as their leader during the international war, who patriotically assisted me in all works undertaken to develop industry and the commerce of the republic, establish its credit, gain for it the respect of the world and obtain for it an honorable position in the concert of nations—that some people, sir, have revolted in armed military bands, stating that my presence in the exercises of the supreme executive power is the cause of this insurrection.

"I do not know of any fact imputable to me which would have caused this social phenomenon, but permitting, though not admitting, that I may be unwittingly culpable, such a possibility makes me the least able to reason out and decide my own culpability. Therefore, respecting as I have always respected the will of the people, and in accordance with article 82 of the Federal constitution, I come before the supreme representativas of the nation in order to resign, unreservedly, the office of constitutional president of the republic with which the national vote honored me, which I do with the more reason since, in order to continue in office, it would be necessary to shed Mexican blood, endangering the credit of the country, dissipating its wealth, exhausting its resources and exposing its policy of international complications.

"I hope, gentlemen, that when the passions which are inherent to all revolutions have been calmed, a more conscientious and just study will bring out in the national mind, a correct judgment, which, when I die, I may carry graven on my soul as a just estimate of the life which I have devoted and will devote to my countrymen."

The revolution led by General Francisco I. Madero, Jr., had brought about the aged President's reported pledge early in 1911 to resign his office in a bargain for peace, but on May 24, the day on which the resignation was expected, it was not forthcoming. Riots occurred that day in Mexico City, during which many persons were killed. The national palace was stoned by mobs shouting "Viva Madero!" and demanding to know why Diaz did not resign. The next day he read his letter of resignation to the chamber of deputies. A large majority voted aye; the other legislators rose and bowed their affirmation as their names were called.

The minister of foreign affairs, Francisco Leon de la Barra, was immediately chosen provisional president and Diaz, of whom for 30 years all Mexico had stood in awe, left the capital, secretly the next day, to embark at Vera Cruz for Europe. Since then he had lived virtually an exile in Paris

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COOMBS FOR BROOKLYN SHUTS OUT THE GIANTS

Meadows for St. Louis Defeats Cincinnati 2 to 0.

Chicago Bunches Hits and Defeats Pittsburg—Manager McGraw, of New York, Put off the Field

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Cincinnati 0; St. Louis 2.
At Brooklyn 3; New York 0.
At Chicago 2; Pittsburg 1.
At Philadelphia-Boston, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
New York at Brooklyn.
Boston at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	36	26	.581
Philadelphia	33	27	.550
St. Louis	36	32	.529
Pittsburg	32	29	.525
Boston	29	34	.460
Brooklyn	29	34	.460
New York	36	32	.448
Cincinnati	36	33	.441

Brooklyn, July 2.—Coombs and Mathewson engaged in a pitchers duel here today with Coombs having the better of the veteran Giant, shutting out New York 3 to 0, giving Brooklyn its third straight game from the Giants. Manager McGraw, of New York, was put off the field for protesting a decision.

New York. . . . . 000 000 000—0 4 3
Brooklyn. . . . . 100 000 02x—2 6 3
Mathewson and Meyer; Coombs and Miller.

Cincinnati, July. 2.—Meadows allowed Cincinnati one hit and St. Louis won today 2 to 0. St. Louis made its two runs by three successive hits and a sacrifice hit in the eighth inning.

St. Louis. . . . . 000 000 020—2 6 0
Cincinnati. . . . . 000 000 000—0 1 0
Meadows and Snyder; Toney and Clark.

Chicago. July 2.—Chicago bunched hits today and defeated Pittsburg, 2 to 1.

Pittsburg. . . . . 000 100 000—1 3 0
Chicago. . . . . 000 010 001—2 5 3
Harmon and Schang; Pierce a nd Bresnahan.

Boston, Mass., July, 2.—Jack Barry, short stop for the Philadelphia Athletics for several years, was sold to the Boston Americans today. He will oppose his former team mates tomorrow when he will play second base for the Red Sox, President Mann stated tonight.

BUFFALO WINS OPENER OVER THE BALTOFEBS

Newark Defeats Brooklyn in Continuous Rain.

Chicago Game at Pittsburgh Postponed on Account of Rain—Only Three Games in Federal League Scheduled Yesterday.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Newark 7; Brooklyn 2.
At Pittsburg-Chicago, rain.
At Baltimore 4; Buffalo 8.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Brooklyn at Newark.
Kansas City at St. Louis.
Pittsburg at Chicago.
Buffalo at Baltimore.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Kansas City	41	27	.603
St. Louis	38	26	.594
Chicago	34	29	.574
Pittsburg	36	29	.554
Newark	34	34	.500
Brooklyn	30	39	.435
Baltimore	25	41	.379
Buffalo	26	44	.371

Baltimore, July 2.—Buffalo took the opening game of the series here today, 8 to 4.

Buffalo . . . . . 220 000 013—8 11 2
Baltimore . . . . . 000 002 100—4 7 0
Krapp, Bedient and Blair; Quinn, Bender and Jacklitsch.

Newark, July 2.—Newark defeated Brooklyn here today, 7 to 2. Rain fell throughout the game.

Brooklyn . . . . . 200 000 000—2 6 3
Newark . . . . . 300 100 04*—7 10 0
Smith and Simon; Falkenberg and Rariden.

BENNY KAUFF FINED $100 AND SUSPENDED TEN DAYS

New York, July 2.—After a conference here today between James Gilmore, president of the Federal League, and officials of the Brooklyn club, it was announced that Benny Kauff had been fined $100 and suspended for ten days. President Ward of the club declared Kauff would not be traded and would not be permitted to play with any other club.

Kauff, after a disagreement with the club's business manager regarding the amount of salary due him, refused to play yesterday.

Pittsburgh, July 2.—Rain caused a postponement of all matches in the National Clay Court Tennis championship here today. R. Norris Williams, of Harvard, and George M. Church, of Princeton, were to have contested today for the singles title by this match will be played tomorrow.

YANKS BEAT SENATORS RETAKE FOURTH PLACE

Tigers Lose to Chicago, Faber's Third Defeat.

Pich and Shaw Pitch Almost Invincible Ball at New York—Faber Has Won 13 Games—Rain at Boston and St. Louis

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Boston-Philadelphia, rain.
At St. Louis-Cleveland, rain.
At New York 1; Washington 0.
At Detroit 2; Chicago 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Cleveland at St. Louis.
Chicago at Detroit.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	46	22	.676
Detroit	40	22	.645
Boston	35	23	.603
New York	34	31	.523
Washington	31	29	.517
Cleveland	23	39	.371
St. Louis	22	41	.341
Philadelphia	22	42	.334

New York, July 2.—New York climbed back into fourth place today by defeating Washington in a light hitting game, 1 to 0. Both Pich and Shaw pitched almost invincible ball. Only two of the hits went to the outfield.

Washington. . . . . 000 000 000—0 2 2
New York. . . . . 000 001 00x—1 3 1
Shaw, Ayres and Henry; Pich and Sweeney.

Detroit, July 2.—Urban Faber suffered his third defeat of the season today when Detroit defeated Chicago 2 to 1. He has won thirteen games.

Chicago. . . . . 001 000 000—1 8 2
Detroit. . . . . 010 000 01x—2 5 0
Faber and Schalk; Dubuc and Baker.

MINOR LEAGUES

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE
At Augusta 3, Jacksonville 1.
At Savannah 9, Macon 2.
At Charleston 1, Columbus 2.
At Columbia 1, Albany 5.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE
At Birmingham-Atlanta, rain.
At Little Rock-Memphis, rain.
At Mobile-New Orleans, rain.
At Chattanooga 2, Nashville 3.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
At Columbus 5, Cleveland 11. Columbus 2, Cleveland 1.
At Minneapolis 7, Kansas City 1.
At St. Paul 6, Milwaukee 5.
At Indianapolis-Louisville, rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
At Harrisburg 3, Jersey City 1.
At Toronto 1, Buffalo 0 (five innings, rain).
At Montreal-Rochester, rain.
No others scheduled.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Rocky Mount 9, Norfolk 16.
At Portsmouth 4, Newport News 0.
At Petersburg 3, Suffolk 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L.	Pct.
Portsmouth	2	0	1,000
Petersburg	2	0	1,000
Rocky Mount	1	1	.500
Norfolk	1	1	.500
Newport News	0	2	.000
Suffolk	0	2	.000

CAROLINA LEAGUE.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Greensboro 6, Winston-Salem 8.
At Durham 3, Raleigh 1.
At Asheville 3, Charlotte 2.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Asheville	38	20	.655
Raleigh	32	24	.571
Durham	33	26	.559
Winston-Salem	24	35	.407
Charlotte	24	36	.400
Greensboro	23	35	.397

W. L. I. AND Y. M. C. A. MEET AT SUNSET PARK TODAY

Giants and Boys' Brigade in Second Game—Two Fast Games Expected.

The class of ball that has been offered by the City League for the past several weeks in their playing at Sunset Park on Saturday afternoons gives promise of two fast exhibitions there this afternoon. The first games, called at 3 o'clock sharp, is between the W. L. I. and the Y. W. C. A., both teams have been working hard all the week and judging from past contests between these two teams today's game will not be lacking in sensational playing. Green and Sheppard will in all probability do the mound work.

The second game, scheduled for 5 o'clock is between the Giants and the Boys' Brigade. While they haven't won a game during the season the Boys' Brigade are playing much better ball than they opened the season with and are hoping to break their hard luck streak in this afternoon's game. Register and Buck will meet in the box according to a tentative line up yesterday.

Good crowds have been attending the games and many are expected to see the exhibitions this afternoon. Ladies have graced the play recently by showing much interest in the games and coming out in goodly numbers. They are always welcome by the management of the league.

Monday at Lumina
Take the family and spend the day. Athletic events, dancing, surf-bathing, pictures. —Advertisement.

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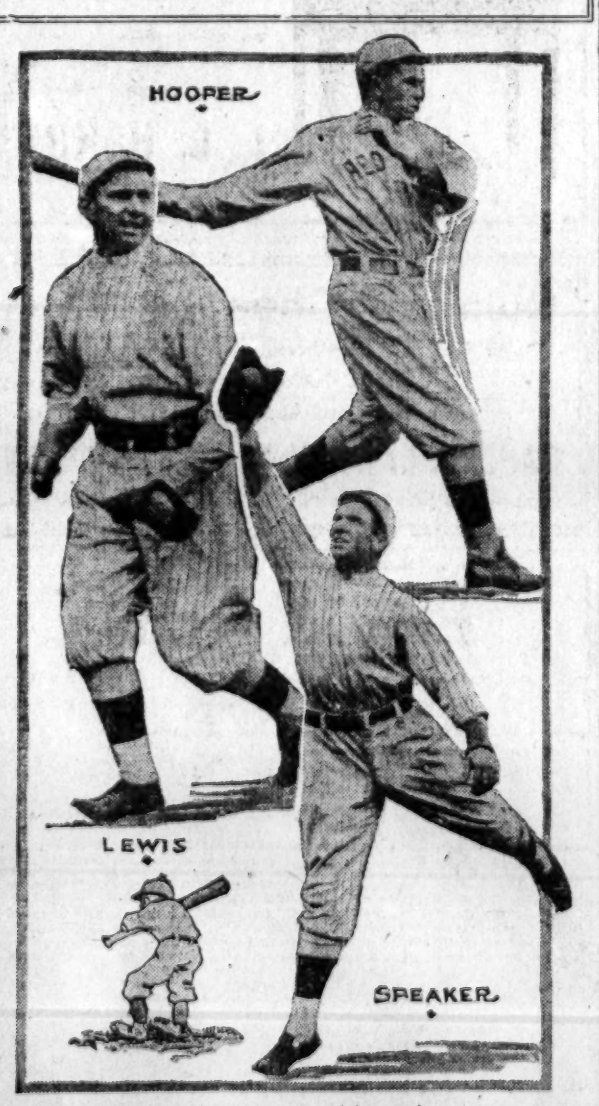
BOSTON AMERICANS' GREAT OUTFIELD



The Boston Americans, who did not show well in the beginning of the season, are now getting into their stride, and have gone to second place in the American League. At the distance it seems they will fight it out with the Tigers of Detroit, and the White Sox of Chicago for the pennant.

Their advance is due largely to the awakening of their outfield, made up of Speaker, who is believed to draw the highest salary in baseball, and Lewis and Hooper, who have not shown in their real form during the earlier part of the season. In one game with the New York Americans the other day Speaker made no fewer than five hits in five times at bat.

In the opinion of baseball men this is the greatest outfield in any club, and that goes despite the fact that Ty Cobb is a member of another club.

Sound the cymbals for two kinds of independence joy!

Rip things right up the back on the Fourth! Because it's the nation's birthday, *and because* Prince Albert tobacco has *set free* men who yearned for the joys of jimmy pipe "packing" and *real* cigarette makin's—and who shied at tortured tongues and throats! Bang-away like it's freedom's frolic!

Kick-off the covers *early*. Let the orators pump patriotism into your spirit *while you puff P. A.* into your smokeappetite! And keep on puffing "P. A. forever" because it's the *happiest*, the *truest* tobacco you could wish to jam in a jimmy pipe or roll into a cigarette! The patented process fixes that! *And removes the bite and parch!* It'll be a *regular* celebration, via

PRINCE ALBERT
the national joy smoke

Open up a toppy red bag of P. A. (mighty handy for rollers) or a tidy red tin, like it was a package from home, then you'll know why men *smoke* Prince Albert and *boom* Prince Albert from one land's end to the other! Get that independence spirit on the tobacco question!

So, unlimber your jimmy pipes or makin's papers—and *fire away!* Because, men, Prince Albert will put *new* ideas of tobacco goodness into your system. Just write it down in your little diary, "Today I started smoking Prince Albert." This is the joy'us time to become pals with P. A. and declare yourself for smoke happiness!

A nickel buys Prince Albert in the toppy red bag, 10c for the tidy red tin. P. A. is also sold in handsome pound and half-pound tin humidors—and—in that classy pound crystal-glass humidor with the sponge-moistener top that keeps the tobacco at the high point of perfection—always!

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SENATOR LEWIS WILL ADDRESS N. C. LAWYERS

Accepts Invitation to Speak at Annual Convention.

State Bar Association Meets in Asheville Next Month—Sixteen Bids Federal Building at Charlotte

(Special Star Telegram)

Washington, D. C., July 2.—Senator James Hamilton Lewis, of Illinois, has accepted the invitation extended him by the State Bar Association, to address the convention when it meets at Asheville next month. Senator Lewis is easily one of the best speakers in the United States Senate and those who attend the gathering of lawyers will be delighted with the Illinois senator.

Senator Lewis spends much of his time in Western North Carolina, and, like former Secertary Bryan, considers that section of the country an ideal place for a vacaton.

Asheboro and Marion postoffices have been added to the list of second class postoffices. The change in classification carries an increase in salary for the postmasters. Hope Mills and Whitney have been reduced from third class to the fourth class.

Sixteen firms contested for the contract to build the Charlotte Federal building, bids for which were opened at the Treasury Department today. Barnes Brothers, of Logansport, Ind., were the lowest bidders but as their bid did not stipulate the kind of material to be used, the job may be given to the John G. Unkefer Company, of Minevera, Ohio., The Logansport firm's bid was $240,000 while the Ohio concern was $242,294. P. R. A.

ROCKY MOUNT DEFEATED BY THE NORFOLK "TARS"

Rocky Mount, N. C., July 2.—Seven for the Tar Heels and sixteen for the Tars was the windup of a mad bit of slashing and a comedy of errors at League park this afternoon while 500 fans relaxed and enjoyed it after strenuous nerve wrecking close games that decided a half season's work.

The Down Homers drew first blood and six hits in two innings sent Barton to cover, while the new flinger, Leakes, for the Tar Heels, lasted but four innings, during which time his support wobbled like a flag in a breeze. His own wildness and ragged support with a safe bang every now and then caused his retirement to the dugout with nine runs against him. Goosetree came over from third and took up the work of twirling to find that he couldn't stem the tide and during his five sessions there were two home runs that followed each other outside the park as Foster and Thrasher came in the sixth.

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Barton, Nicks and Mace; Leaks, Goosetree and Ryan. Umpire, Bussey, Time, 2:00. Attendance 575.

REQUISITION FOR S. C. NEGRO IS WITHDRAWN

Brown, Alias Grant, Wanted for Murder.

Counsel Argued Before Governor Brumbaugh That Lynching is Probable if Prisoner is Returned. Manning Asks Hearing.

Philadelphia, July 2.—Governor Brumbaugh, it was learned today, has withdrawn a requisition warrant issued by Governor Tener in 1913 for Fred Brown, a negro wanted in South Carolina, on a charge of murder. Representations were made to the Governor that the prisoner would be in danger of lynching, if returned to the Southern state.

Counsel for Brown has made extraordinary efforts to keep him out of South Carolina. In support of their plea that he would be in danger of lynching they quoted public utterances of Cole Blease, then governor of South Carolina. A requisition was issued, however, by Governor Tener and Brown's counsel carried the case to the United States Supreme Court which sustained the lower courts in refusing to interfere.

In asking withdrawal of the requisition by Governor Brumbaugh, counsel cited incidents in connection with the Frank case in Georgia and a recent lynching in South Carolina. A hearing in the case will be given by Governor Brumbaugh next week.

WANTED FOR MURDER.

Charged That Brown Killed J. F. Durst, a White Man.

Columbia, S. C., July 2.—Fred Brown, alias Joe Grant, was indicted in the South Carolina courts for the alleged murder of J. F. Durst, a white man, at Johnston on April 14th, 1906.

Attorney General Peebles today telegraphed a request to the attorney general of Pennsylvania asking to arrange a hearing before Governor Brumbaugh when arguments will be submitted for this state relative to the withdrawal by the Pennsylvania governor of the requisition warrant for the return to South Carolina of Fred Brown, a negro wanted at Lexington for murder.

Governor Manning telegraphed Governor Brumbaugh a request that this hearing be granted.

Cedar Point, Ohio, July 2.—The Indian Shooting Association's annual tournament ended here today with the fifty bird handicap Mallory trophy event going to O. L. Brailey amateur of Toledo. The winner shot from the 16yard mark and broke 48.

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(Advertisement.)

NAVAL OFFICERS NOT ALLOWED TO RETIRE

Applications Are Denied by President Wilson.

Twenty Commanders and Lieutenant Commanders Had Requested Voluntary Retirement—Experienced Officers Needed.

Washington, July 2.—President Wilson has denied the application for voluntary retirement of 20 commanders and lieutenant commanders of the navy, who sought to leave the active list under the law which permits such retirements on June 30th when promotions from the grade of junior lieutenant have been less than 40 during the preceding year.

In announcing the President's action today, Rear Admiral Benson, Acting Secretary of the Navy, said the department had recommended the course because experienced officers were urgently needed in active service and promotions already were being made in ranks below captain at the ages deemed most consistent.

Department officials said so far as they knew none of the 20 applicants had received offers from the private war munitions establishments which have been seeking to employ army and navy officers. It was disclosed, however, that some other officers have sought retirement to accept such positions and that their requests have been promptly refused on the ground that to permit naval officers on the retired list to engage in the manufacture of ordnance for a foreign belligerent would be a breach of neutrality.

MEMORIAL TO MARY PHAGAN.

Marble Slab Placed at Grave by Confederate Veterans Camp.

Marietta, Ga., July 2.—A marble slab marking the grave of Mary Phagan for whose murder Leo M. Frank was convicted and is serving a life sentence at the Georgia State prison farm, was unveiled here today. The exercises were conducted by the local camp of United Confederate Veterans, who collected funds for the memorial.

New York, July 2.—Prize winning show horses owned by the late Alfred G. Vanderbilt, president of the National Horse Show Association, who lost his life in the sinking of the Lusitania by a German submarine, will be on sale here within a few weeks, according to an announcement today.

Fort Smith, Ark., July 2.—John L. Casper, charged with conspiracy against the government and violation of the internal revenue laws was released from custody here today on a bond of $35,000. He formerly was head of the Rush Distilling Company, of Fort Smith and Kansas City.

Sunday evenings, 7:30 trip to Carolina Beach Pier and return on Steamer Wilmington, 15 cents.—Advertisement.

"The Snow Girl"

You'll gasp with delight and wonder at the beautiful winter scene, filmed in a big snowstorm at fashionable Lake Saranac. A three-reel thriller.

"The Riddle of the Silk Stockings"

King Baggot in a totally unique Imp Comedy Drama.

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Monday—Warren Kerrigan Returns.

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Two-Reel Kalem
"THE FIGURE IN BLACK"
Strong Dramatic featuring MARIN SAIS, OLLIE KIRBY and PAUL C. HURST

"Nobody Would Believe"
Lubin Drama featuring Lillie Leslie, William Cohill, Walter Law and Joseph Smiley

"Dreamy Dud"
Rousing Comedy IN KING KOO KOO'S KINGDOM Living Cartoons by Wallace C. Carlson.

Admission—5 Cents

MONDAY PARAMOUNT DAY
JOHN BARRYMORE IN "THE MAN FROM MEXICO"

RE-ASSESSMENT OF RAILROADS IN ORDER

Corporation Commission to Begin Within Two Weeks

Corporations Now Being Assessed for Taxation—Hearings Given—Charters Issued—Raleigh News of a Day

(Special Star Correspondence)

Raleigh, N. C., July, 2.—This being the year for the regular quadrennial re-assessment of railroads as well as for the annual assessment for taxes of the corporations generally in the State, the Corporation Commission is getting this work under way and will take up the re-assessment of the railroads within the next two weeks.

Already most of the banks have been assessed and the assessment of the corporatons generally, fearly five thousand of them, will be gone into during the next week or two. Already, delegations are coming to Raleigh from day to day for conferences with the commission regarding those assessments of banks and other corporations already made. The institutions are being notified as their assessments are made and those that raise objections are being given hearings as the work advances.

Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham says that the division for supplying the legume for inoculation to the farmers of the State is now entering on an especially busy season with orders for the legume coming in by every mail. The price for this material has just been reduced by the department from 50 cents per acre to 40 cents per acre. It costs when purchased commercially $2. per acre. The indications are that far and away the biggest volume of orders for the legume inoculation will come in this season, which continues well into November, this season rounding out the first year of the work of this division of the work of the department in furtherance of the interests of the farmers of the State.

Miss Alma I. Stone, graduate of Meredith College and the University of North Carolina, has been appointed as assistant to the State botanist by Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham.

New Corporations

New corporations were chartered today as follows:

The McNair Milling Co, Laurinburg, capital $50,000 authorized and $15,000 subscribed by J. F. McNair, J. A. Jones, and R. L. Stevenson for general grain milling.

The Buenavista Co,. Winston Salem, capital $200,000 authorized and $144,000 subscribed by J. W. Fries, F. H. Fries, H. E. Fries, Wachovia Loan and Trust Co, and others, for real estate development.

The Oxford Jitney Bus Co, Oxford, capital $2,000 authorized and $200 subscribed by L. H. Davis and others.

FAYETTEVILLE WILL ERECT MODERN TOBACCO WAREHOUSE

Company to Be Chartered, Considerable Stock Subscribed Already.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., July 2.—At an adjourned meeting of the Chamber of Commerce here Messrs. A. W. Peace, S. W. Cooper, H. McD. Robinson and Thos. H. Hutton were appointed as a committee to prepare a certificate of incorporation for a tobacco warehouse company. The committee was also instructed to take the necessary preliminary steps for the organization of the company without delay in order that contract might be let as soon as possible for the erection of a modern tobacco warehouse and in time for use this season.

The chamber of commerce has been able to raise within a few days, by subscriptions for stock in the corporation, sufficient funds to warrant them to proceed as indicated without fear of being unable to raise the required amount, several thousand dollars, only about two hundred dollars being now required.

The site for the warehouse has been donated by the Aberdeen & Rockfish Railroad Company with the understanding that if at any time the stockholders for any reason wish to dispose of their holdings the railroad company is to have the option of purchasing the warehouse at actual cost.

SUNDAY SERVICES

First Presbyterian church, corner of Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor: Preaching Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 5 in the afternoon. The pastor will teach the Brotherhood Bible Class and all not in other classes or Sunday schools are invited to be present. Christian Endeavor meeting at 8 in the evening. Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Winter Park Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell ,pastor: Combined church and Sunday school service Sunday morning at 10:15 o'clock. Midweek service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The Ladies' Society will meet Tuesday afternoon at 5, with a special programme furnished by the Helping Hand Society and refreshments. A cordial invitation is given to all to attend the services.

Delgado Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor. Services Sunday evening at 7:45. Sunday school at 10:15 in the morning. Midweek service Thursday evening at 8. Visitors earnestly invited to all services.

Sunday evenings, 7:30 trip to Carolina Beach Pier and return on Steamer Wilmington, 15 cents.—Advertisement.

Forget Your Troubles

amid the diversions at Lumina.—Advertisement.

NOTICE

The Freight Warehouses of our companies in Wilmington, N. C., will be closed Monday, July 5th, 1915, except between the hours of 9:00 and 10:00 A. M., for the delivery of perishable freight only.

HENRY WHYTE,
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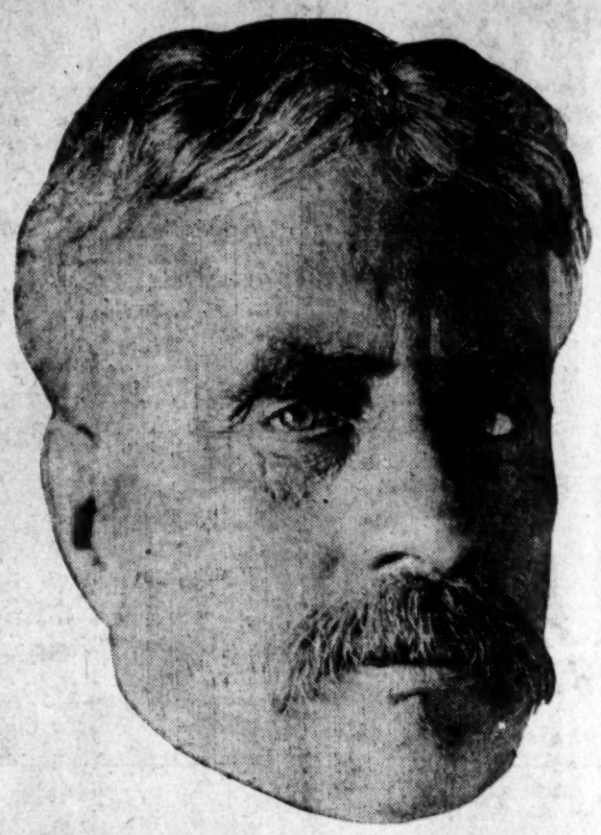
Premier of Canada Going to Stir Up British



Sir Robert Borden, premier of Canada, is on his way to Great Britain, with the purpose, not avowed by him, of stirring up the British government to the importance of Canada in the war. Before sailing—he would not tell the name of the vessel on which he would make the trip—he refused to talk about complaints Canadians have recently made, particularly in war contracts. The attack of W. W. Butler, one of the great manufacturers of Canada, against the policy of making J. P. Morgan & Co., the great New York bankers, agents for the purchase of British war supplies, was passed over by the premier without comment.

"During the war there has been very close co-operation between the British and the Canadian government in respect of all matters relating to the war and touching the common interests of the empire," said he. "This co-operation has involved incessant correspondence both by cable and by letter with the colonial secretary and with Sir George Perley, the acting high commissioner for Canada in London. It is considered that co-operation between the two governments can be rendered more effective and the common interests more thoroughly safeguarded if certain important questions could be discussed at a personal interview.

"As for volunteers in the war, we have sent 75,000 so far, as you know what kind of a record they have made. We have about 75,000 more, organized and in training. The men are coming in to volunteer faster than we are able to train, arm and equip them."

THEATRICAL

Real tobogganing, skating and iceboating scenes are features in "The Snow Girl," an unusually realistic and thrilling three-reel Laemmle drama of the North woods that heads today's bill at the home of "The Incomparable Movies." The wintry scenes were filmed during the last heavy snow storm of the season in the Adirondacks just at the time the Winter Carnival was at its height at Lake Saranac. Scenes from the carnival are included in the picture and you will gasp with delight and wonder at the beautiful scenes. It is the strong story of a man to man battle for valuable timber property, with Brinsley Shaw playing the leading role. Life in the woods and at the outdoor sports of the fashionable set, all pictured against a background of surpassing loveliness. It is a big picture that you cannot afford to miss, and will thrill you for every moment of the three reels.

King Baggott is featured in a great single reel Imp production, "The Riddle of the Silk Stockings," a unique comedy drama that will be especially pleasing.

Next week's big bills will surprise even those who are in a habit of expecting big things at the Bijou. There will be some exceptionally big features for every day. Watch for them.

At the Grand Today.

Just keep your eye on the Grand for every day the management has a pleasant surprise to offer for it's patrons in the way of good pictures. They are without a doubt the best that money can buy. Manager Peck is sparing no expense to please the movie fans.

Today's programme is one of unusual merit, the Kalem company as everyone knows always has a good one on tap, and they have exceeded the limit in "The Figure in Black" the newest two-act detective story, featuring Marian Sais, Ollie Kirby and Paul C. Hurst.

"Nobody Would Believe" is the title of the Lubin drama that has been praised so highly by the press and public, why not? Look at the cast—Lillie Leslie, William Cahill, Walter Law and Joseph Smiley—this in itself is enough to assure the public that something good is in store for them, a visit to the Grand will convince you that we are delivering the goods. Now for a great Comedy "Dreamy Dud in King Koo's Kingdom." Living cartoons by Wallace A. Carlson produced by the Essanay company. Dud is captured by some natives. He pleases the king so much that he steps down from his throne and gives it to Dud. So many things happen too numerous to mention and then Dud wakes up.

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$8.10 ROUND TRIP RICHMOND, VA.

The Atlantic Coast Line announces the above excursion fare from Wilmington, on acount of the Exposition and Celebration in Commemoration of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Emancipation of the Negro, which opens July 5th and closes July 27th. Proportionate fares will apply from all points on the Atlantic Coast Line, and are open to the public. Tickets will be sold for all trains on July 5, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21 and 24, limited returning to reach original starting point prior to midnight of the seventh (7th) day following date of sale. For schedules and further information,

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W. J. CRAIG, Pass. Traf. Mgr. T. C. WHITE, Gen. Pass. Agt.
Wilmington, N. C.

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NEGROES CELEBBATE 50 YEARS' PROGRESS

Wilson Issues Proclamation of National Exposition.

Will Open at Richmond Next Week —Congress Made an Appropriation of $5,000.—Purpose is to Encourage the Race.

Washington, July 2.—President Wilson's proclamation bespeaking national government in the exposition to commemorate 50 years' achievements of the negro race, which is to open at Richmond, Va., next week, was issued from the White House today. It is as follows:

"A national exposition in commemoration of the achievements of the negro race during the last 50 years will be held in Richmond, Va., July 5 to 25, 1915.

"The occasion has been recognized as of national importance by Congress through an appropriation of $5,000 to aid in its promotion and consummation. This sum is being expended by the terms of the appropriation under the direction of the Governor of Virginia.

"The Exposition is under the auspices of the Negro Historical and Industrial Association. The action of Congress in this matter indicated very happily the desire of the nation as well as of the people to encourage the negro in his efforts to solve his industrial problem.

"The National Negro Exposition is designed to demonstrate his progress in the last 50 years and to emphasize his opportunities. As President of the United States I bespeak of the active interest of the nation to the exposition and trust that every facility will be extended to the leaders whose earnest work has made the undertaking possible."

The proclamation bears the date of July 1, the seal of the government and the signature of the President.

NEW COURSE AT TRINITY.

Designed to Answer Need for Trained Sunday School Workers.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Durham, N. C., July 3.—A new course which will be of interest to many throughout North Carolina, will be offered at Trinity College beginning with the fall term. Its purpose will be to help answer the crying need for trained Sunday school workers. That the course will be emphasized is certain as it is being brought to the attention of students, who will be members of the junior and senior classes next year, in many ways. For one thing the course will count toward a diploma as much as any other course in the entire curriculum.

This work will be in connection with the departments of education and Biblical literature. Three Sunday school courses will be offered aside from the regular work given in the Biblical department. One course will be on Educational Psychology and Child Study; the second will be a comparative study of the Sunday school and secular education with much research work required; the third will be a study in the administrative side of the work, dealing with the public school and Sunday school. Any student may elect one or more of these.

Prof. E. C. Brooks and Dr. E. W. Knight, of the department of education, will give the courses. Mr. M. W. Brabham, Sunday school field secretary of the North Carolina Conference, will give a series of lectures in connection with the course.

10 cents Saturday trip to Carolina Beach. Steamer Wilmington leaves, 2:30 P. M.—Advertisement.

Monday at Lumna

Take the family and spend the day. Athletic events, dancing, surf-bathing, pictures. —Advertisement.

REV. A. L. CARLTON ORDAINED

Recent Graduate of Wake Forest Enters Full Ministerial Work.

(Special Star Correspondence. ...

Warsaw, N. C., July 2.—An ordination service was held at the Baptist church, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock when Rev. A. Lee Carlton was ordained a minister. Rev. A. O. Moore, assisted by Rev. G. B. Early, of Rose Hill, conducted the service.

Rev. Mr. Carlton was recently graduated from Wake Forest College. He has a large circle of friends, who wish him success in his chosen work.

REPORT WAS UNFOUNDED

Fourth Body Was Not Found in Chattahoochee—Inquest Monday.

West Point, Ga., July 2.—The inquest set for today at Blanton's Ferry, Ala., near here into the deaths of Mack and Epps Melton and J .S. Leak, whose bodies were found early this week, in the Chattahoochee river was postponed until Monday July 5. The bodies bore evidence that the Melton brothers and Leak had been murdered.

Reports last night that a fourth body, thought to be that of Toney Melton, father of two of the victims, had been found in the river, proved unfounded today.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

State of North Carolina.
New Hanover County.

In pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of North Carolina, made and entered at the March term, A. D. 1915, in a case therein pending wherein D. O'Connor was plaintiff and Margaret Cox and William Blount are defendants, the undersigned Commissioner duly appointed by said decree will expost for sale at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, at the Court House door of New Hanover County, in the City of Wilmington, on Monday, the 5th day of July, A. D., 1915, at 12 o'clock, M., the following described tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Wilmington, N. C., bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a point in the southern line of Rankin Street thirty-three feet westwardly from the southwestern intersection of Rankin and Thirteenth Streets, and runs thence westwardly along the line of Rankin Street thirty-three feet; thence southwardly and parallel with Thirteenth Street one hundred and forty-five feet to Charlotte Street; thence eastwardly along Charlotte Street thirty-three feet; thence northwardly one hundred and forty-five feet to the beginning on Rankin Street, the same being parts of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 229, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Terms of sale cash.

E. K. BRYAN,
Commissioner.
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TOP O' THE MORNING

He who loves best his fellowman
Is loving God the holiest way he can.
—ALICE CARY

Everybody thinks Uncle Sam comes out on top whether he does or not.

Men of all nations can be depended on to fight. Otherwise war would be a one-sided affair.

Another big wheat crop has given an impetus to marriage in Kansas. The Kansans never could stand prosperity.

There were many June weddings in South Carolina. This indicates that South Carolina proposes to remain in a state of unrest.

Colonel Bryan must realize that this is a hard time for a man to make people understand what his real object is during the present crisis.

'Smighty hard for some folks to know when it is time to call for the calf rope without waiting till the hamstringers get on the job.

Man starts out in life with the intention of hitching his wagon to a star, but later he becomes attached to a member of the chorus.

The question is asked, "what will we do with our billion dollar balance of trade?" Don't worry about that. Wall Street has long ago decided on how it is to be handled.

Captain Trickey, of the Dominion steamship Armenian, was a nervy chap, but he didn't know when it was time to stop. He had an excess of nerve but no prudence so's you'd notice it.

About the time one Mexican revolution seems to be going to pieces, the pieces start revolutions of their own. When a revolution is about to wind up in Mexico, it is difficult to tell which one of them it is.

Huerta says he had no intention of returning to Mexico for five years, but that will not be accepted as an explanation of his pre-arranged trip to meet conspirators in American territory adjoining that of Mexico.

The Jacksonville Times-Union carried a story about a man who "eluded his wife for nine years." Inasmuch, however, as she kept right on his trail and finally got him, it shows that when a woman gives a man a run for his money she will catch him if it takes her nine years.

Congressman Gardner has challenged Colonel Bryan to a joint debate on national preparedness for war. In view of the fact that Gardner won't asphyxiate himself by turning on the gas in a close room, there are lots of folks who hope his challenge will be accepted by the husky Nebraskan.

Says the Durham Sun: "Roosevelt imagines that he is like Lincoln and Bryan thinks that he is like Jefferson." As a matter of fact, Roosevelt and Bryan have a decided advantage of Lincoln and Jefferson in view of the fact that the two statesmen first named are yet alive and have nothing the matter with their imaginations.

New England is now going extensively into the goat raising business. Goats will flourish on wornout, rocky lands just as well as if they were turned loose on the luxuriant savannahs of North Carolina. Goats will furnish leather for fine shoes, suet for various kinds of industries, and mutton for those who do not know that it is a great deal better than mutton.

Says the Lumberton Tribune: "Robeson county watermelons will soon be ripe." No doubt about it, but if the Robeson county growers are not able to tell exactly when watermelons are ripe a plenty they should send them to us so we can find out and let them know whether they are or not. When we suspect a Robeson county watermelon of being ripe it had better not come where we can do something to it.

REFUSED $225 A TON FOR POTASH

The discovery of a great potash deposit in North Carolina would be about the luckiest strike that could be made in this State of vast unknown mineral resources. Potash has been selling in Wilmington at $150 a ton, probably higher, for a prominent Jacksonville fertilizer company has refused $225 a ton for all the potash it had in store, on the way, or in prospect. The offer was declined, says the Jacksonville Times-Union, not because some rival wanted the valuable mineral, "for the offer came from a reputable chemical firm", as our esteemed contemporary explains.

Some of the Wilmington holders of large stores of potash have parted with some of their holdings, probably all they could spare, for the Clyde Steamship Company week after week has carried to New York on every trip for several months large quantities of the best grade of potash in sacks. The shipments go to the duPont Powder Company, of Wilmington, Del., and it is presumed that concern is the chemical company which has made such a high offer for that Jacksonville fertilizer company's stock of potash. It is used for manufacturing powder and explosives for war purposes and the demand for munitions is so great, and some of the constituent material is so scarce, that prices for such necessary material as potash of high grade have risen to really fabulous heights.

In ordinary times, potash of 40 to 50 per cent. grade has sold at from $45 to $50 a ton, so that it can be noted that the price has risen to more than five times the ordinary price. It is understood that large cargoes of potash have been received in Wilmington only to be immediately trans-shipped to the duPont Powder Company. The Jacksonville fertilizer company refused $225 a ton, the Times-Union explains, because it was worth more than that sum to the company which received the offer. "This shows", that paper observes, "how precious has become this principal fertilizer ingredient, which, a year ago or so, could be bought for about one-seventh of the sum here tendered".

The war in Europe accounts for the high price of potash. Germany, the greatest producer of potash above 25 per cent. purity, prohibited exportation early after the war began and only permitted exportation of a limited quantity under the guarantee that it should not be re-exported or used for the benefit of her enemies. The embargo increased the price to start with, but when the powder factories received such large offers for munitions of war, the demand stiffened and prices rose to practically an unlimited level.

This reminds us that a potash mine recently has been opened ten miles southeast of Waterbury, Conn. A Waterbury dispatch to the New York Journal of Commerce a few days ago states that a shaft a thousand feet deep has been sunk on the Connecticut deposit. This deposit is in Cheshire county. Night and day shifts are working the potash deposits and outsiders can view a huge tower and a number of buildings, but no one is allowed to approach closely. The promoters of the project are understood to be from Pittsburg, and it is also said that New York capitalists are interested and furnishing funds. It has been known for a long time that there are considerable potash deposits in Cheshire, but they have never been worked to any extent until the cutting off of the European supply of the article made mining it in this country likely to be profitable.

The high value of potash evidently will stimulate search for deposits everywhere in the United States. Since North Carolina contains nearly all the minerals in the category, let us hope that some day a rich potash deposit may be found in this great old State.

MORE PROFIT IN WHEAT THAN COTTON

Mr. Boyd Gandy, of Darlington county, South Carolina, has demonstrated to himself that he can make more clear profit by growing wheat than he can by producing a bale of cotton per acre. On the 20th of last October he sowed 10 acres of land in wheat, and about June 15th he threshed the crop from nine acres, securing an average yield of 44 bushels per acre. On the 27th of June he threshed the crop from his tenth acre, securing the phenominal yield of 54 1-2 bushels. From his 10 acres he housed a crop of 450-1-2 bushels of prime wheat. The Darlington News and Press, from which we get the facts, states that Mr. Gandy is one of Darlington's most reputable farmers and that paper got him to give an account of his experiment. The following is the record:

"Mr. Gandy stated to The News and Press in an interview that this wheat was planted on October 20 last; no fertilizer was used except a small quantity of acid on about four acres and a very small quanity of soda scattered by hand on that part of the land which produced the record yield.

"The ground when broken for planting the wheat bore a heavy growth of crabgrass, which was turned under while green, plowing about four inches deep. After turning, the land was double-disked with a four-horse harrow, leveled with a smoothing harrow, and followed with a weeder. The wheat was then drilled in at the rate of five pecks to the acre.

'About March 31 a small quantity of soda was scattered by hand over a portion of the plot, as stated above. Nothing further was done until the wheat was cut, about June 7.

"This is Mr. Gandy's first effort at growing wheat, and he attributes the high yield to several causes, chiefly the high grade of soil, preparation of seed bed, the crabgrass turned under supplying abundant humus; time of planting, which was unusually early, and quality of seed, Leaps Prolific.

"From his ten acres, Mr. Gandy realized 450 bushels of wheat, which, at the current price of $1.50 per bushel, would net him $675, or $67.50 per acre. The seed cost Mr. Gandy, laid down, about $20. It cost approximately $160 to prepare the land, seed, cut and thresh his 450 bushels of wheat, leaving him a profit of $515. The straw is worth at least $15 in addition, giving Mr. Gandy a net profit of $53 per acre.

"The same land will make one bale of cotton per acre, or ten bales on the plot, which, at $50 per bale, would produce $500 worth of lint. This would cost to produce, with the necessary amount of fertilizer and the large amount of labor required to cultivate and gather, about $400 giving the planter a profit of $100 on his ten acres, or $10 per acre, provided he was lucky enough to get 10 cents per pound. The ten bales of cotton will gin about five tons of seed, worth about $20 per ton, or $100. This gives the cotton farmer a net profit of $200 on his ten acres, or $20 per acre, against Mr. Gandy's $53 per acre for his wheat."

The final analysis of Mr. Gandy's experiment is that with wheat selling at $1.50 per bushel and cotton supposed to sell for as much as 10 cents per pound, his 10 acres in wheat netted him a profit of $530 compared with $200 for cotton. The acre profit was $53 for wheat to $20 for cotton, making a showing of 115 per cent. in favor of wheat. He netted $33 an acre more than he would have done with cotton, and it would have required the cotton from more than two acres to have paid for the wheat grown on one acre.

Even if wheat were seling as low as $1.00 per bushel, Mr. Gandy would have netted $229 on wheat compared with $200 on cotton, a 45 per cent. advantage over the fleecy staple, which we mistakenly call our money crop.

A CANNING FACTORY

Every Wilmingtonian interested in the canning industry for this unequalled productive section of North Carolina should attend the meeting called at the court house at 11 o'clock this morning. That ought to mean every citizen of Wilmington, for the canning industry is a potentiality that will enable us to develop the truck growing resources of this section on a more profitable scale. It is proposed to organize a stock company for the establishment of a factory at Wilmington, and that is what the meeting should undertake to do at once.

We make a great economic mistake in overlooking the value of the canning industry as a means of making our productive operations more profitable. We let too great a surplus of our production go to waste, thus throwing away a large amount of the labor and capital utilized in growing perishable crops.

Our prodigality along that line is astonishing. It is a reflection on our intelligence when we go to the expense of producing crops and let from one fourth to one half of them go to waste because we will not establish a canning factory so we can put a stop to what is downright folly.

What is the use of refering to our opportunities when we have them pointed out to us without our getting busy and making assets of them? The growing of vegetables and perishable food crops is one of our greatest resources, and since canning and preserving will enable us to develop that powerful productive resource we should not be guilty of the negligence that is responsible for the fact that the Wilmington section does not ship as much canned food stuffs away as it does of vegetables and fruits only shipped in the fresh state each season.

We might as well not have opportunities if we are not going to see them ourselves and seize them ourselves. We ought not to talk about getting industries till we nail some of them ourselves.

THE FATHER OF PROSPERITY

A prominent Birmingham manufacturer declares that "Faith is the Father of Prosperity," but whatever may be the cause of it, it certainly can be said that prosperity is largely the posterity of faith and its family connections. Mr. Edward L. Thomas, of the Thomas Grate Bar Company, of Birmingham, writes the Manufacturers' Record a letter in which he gives some information with regard to the betterment in business conditions experienced by his concern by reason of its hustling for business and getting it. Among other things, the Birmingham man says:

"We are still adding to our forces, expending our greatest energy, realizing 'Faith is the Father of Prosperity' and with our opportunities being thrust upon us greater as the days come and go, we see wherein shortly, war or no war, the United States, with all its resources, will be taxed to take care of the demands that will be made upon us."

Faith in the resources of the country and its future enables Mr. Thomas to apply the necessary energy and ability to realize upon his opportunity and the resources at his command. He has found out by experience that by having faith and hustle he is doing business and getting the most satisfactory returns for his activity. He has had faith enough to keep his plant in operation and faith enough to go out and get the business that will keep his shops busy doing business. Commenting upon the extract taken from the letter of Mr. Thomas, the Manufacturers' Record says:

"That is the spirit which should exist everywhere in this country, and preeminently so in the South. While it is true that 'Faith is the Father of Prosperity,' it is also true that 'faith without works is dead,' and unless the faith is backed by active work the individual concern, the section and the nation will fail to realize the prosperity which ought to be had. If all the business concerns in the country would follow the example of Mr. Thomas by backing faith in their own efforts, and in the limitless possibilities of the country, with active work in the development of individual business, prosperity would soon be created."

That is good enough for any business man to paste in his hat. Prosperity may be favorably or unfavorably effected by conditions, and it may be encouraged by law, but verily it has to be created by men who have the necessary faith and accompany it with work meet for success.

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GOOD INVESTMENT

Uncle Sam Urges Federal Employes to Be Vaccinated Against Typhoid.
(State Board of Health.)

A movement is now on foot to have all federal employes vaccinated against typhoid fever. This will be an army of 400,000 men and women. Secretary of the Treasury W. G. McAdoo has designated 164 stations in the United States where any Federal employe may be given the treatment free of all cost.

Reckoning the period of immunity for four years and basing the calculation upon what has already been accomplished, the secretary sees where the compliance with this offer will save 300 lives and at least 3,000 people from periods of invalidism. The records show that six Federal employes die each month from typhoid fever. There are seventy new vacancies to be filled every year due to this one disease alone. As most cases follow the vacation season, special emphasis is given the importance of being vaccinated before the vacation season begins.

So valuable has the use of anti-typhoid vaccine proven, not only as a life saver but as a time saver as well, that Federal authorities and big corporations, particularly our cotton mills and large manufacturing establishments, are now considering it a wise investment to have all their employes inoculated against typhoid. One of the first things the Panama-Pacific International Exposition authorities did was to have all employes on the grounds inoculated against typhoid early in the year. This was done by March 31, and the wisdom of this precaution is now being felt.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The celebration at the Guilford Battle Ground Saturday is not a local affair. It is an occasion of State and national interest. Combined in the exercises of the day will be official representatives of each of the thirteen original states, an expert of the government will be master of the unveiling and Federal officers and soldiery will attend. Guilford county is proud of the day and so is Greensboro. Our city takes its name in memory of the man for whose honor the statue was constructed. This city is peculiarly interested, therefore, on account of associations and its nearness to the spot, but the Battle Ground is a place whose history is common property to Americans. The monument is the handsomest in North Carolina, probably the finest in all Dixie and experts do not hesitate to call it peer of the best. It is a fit piece of work and Greensboro is not inclined to cheapen the occasion of its unveiling by localizing its nature. This city wants North Carolina to come together in this celebration and full preparations have been made for a warm welcome to all.—Greensboro Record.

"Carolina Captures Belgium" is the caption of an article on the editorial page of The New Orleans' Picayune. Most of the world being under the impression that Belgium was in other and not more gentle hands, the statement compels a reading of the article, which proves to be an appeal to the landowners of Louisiana to bestir themselves and secure the desirable types of immigrants that may be obtained from abroad. The writer cites the case of the Carolina Truck Development Company of Wilmington, at whose instance Mr. Hugh MacRae went to Europe about a year ago to secure Belgians. He sent over 50 families in February. Within a few months they have already become self-supporting, are raising enough food for themselves and their stock and are even beginning to pay for their farms and the homes that were built for them. The company did not stop with the 50. One of the most active members of the Belgian Relief Committee in England, Rev. Dougald McFayden, of London, who is in close touch with the refugee farmers forced to abandon their little estates, was induced to come over here and examine the Carolina plan. He then declared that he had no hesitation in co-operating with this venture. As a direct result of his interest, there will be a few Belgian families on almost every ship that leaves Liverpool for New York. The first such additional party sailed on June 14. It is significant of the waking up to this State's development possibilities that Carolina enterprise and leadership is attracting attention far away.—Charlotte Observer.

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FULLY 12,000 PEOPLE ATTEND ANNUAL EVENT AT THOMASVILLE.

Dr. E. M. Poteat Speaks at Baptist Orphanage "Commencement."

Thomasville, N. C., July 2.—Despite the threatening clouds fully 12,000 people gathered in Thomasville yesterday to witness the closing exercises of the 30th anniversary of the Thomasville Baptist orphanage. People came from every section of the State.

The morning's exercises began with a programme by the children which was one of the features of the anniversary exercises. All on the programme acquitted themselves with honor. No graded school exercises has ever been carried out more successfully. A feature of the school's exercise was the reading, "Woman's Rights," by Miss Dora Tesh, in which she showed the militant suffragist spirit as splendidly as the Pankhursts ever did. The reading caused comment throughout the day. Other features of the programme were: A reading, "A Little Boy at the Circus With His Mother," by Miss Belle Rhyne; girls' quartette, "I Loves You, Deed I Do, Little Cotton Dolly"; boys' quartette, "Carve Dat 'Possum Fa'r"; declamation, "Robert Edward Lee," by Joseph Bell. The entire 20 parts of the school programme were enjoyed to the fullest by all who heard it.

At 11 o'clock Dr. E. M. Poteat delivered the annual address in the large arbor that seats 5,000 people. Every seat was taken and for a considerable distance on every side the people were standing crowded. Dr. Poteat's address was a masterpiece of oratory. In the closing part of the address the speaker said that he knew of no better way to bring supreme happiness to the soul of a rich man or woman than to use his or her earthly goods in supporting a work like the Thomasville Baptist orphanage was doing.

The afternoon's exercises began with a memorial service to the late Noah Biggs, a benefactor of the orphanage. Something was told of the life of this good man by those who knew him intimately. Following the memorial exercises the presentation of certificates and the awarding of prizes took place. This was followed by the president's address.

At 3 o'clock a miscellaneous programme was rendered by the children consisting of songs, readings, etc.

The entire anniversary programme was carried out as prepared and the occasion was one of untold benefit to the institution.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION

Further Improvement Reported—Big War Orders—Idleness Decreasing.

New York, July 2.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Further improvement, notwithstanding vagaries of the weather and slow movements at some points, is the outstanding feature of this week's reports. Where the weather has been favorable seasonable goods have moved from the counters of retail dealers in larger volume and faith in the future is marked. Crops, collectively considered, are promising, some of them more so than ever before.

War orders are of enormous proportions, brass mills in New England, sold far ahead, are intensely active; machine tool plants are overflowing with orders. Steel mills are doing more. Idleness continues to decrease.

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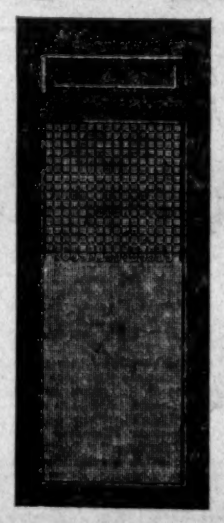

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PLANS THE ERECTION OF LARGE NEW HOTEL

Mr. J. H. Hinton is Behind New Project

Proprietor of Orton Will Build Fourteen-Story Structure on Adjoining Property—Mr. Kenneth Murchison to be Architect.

Mr. J. H. Hinton, owner of the Orton Hotel, announced yesterday that he is preparing for the erection of a 14-story, fireproof hotel on the part of the Orton property, now occupied by the Sterchi-Bancroft Furniture Company and the Cape Fear Hardware Co., as soon as their leases expire, which will be on October 1st, of next year. Mr. Hinton has been proprietor of the Orton for the last nine years and is recognized as one of the leading hotel men of the State. The announcement that he is planning to erect a large and commodious hotel on the property adjoining the Orton, will be of much interest, not only to the people of Wilmington but throughout the State.

The new hotel will have a frontage of 60 feet and will be known as the "New Orton." Mr. Kenneth Murchison, a native of Wilmington, but now a well known architect of New York, who designed the handsome ten-story Murchison National Bank building, is already busy preparing the plans for the new building and as soon as they are completed a cut will be made so that the public can gain some idea as to the kind of hotel that Wilmington is to have in the near future.

The building will be of steel construction, fireproof, with every modern appliance and will contain 180 bedrooms, with a roof garden, and dining room on top floor, and a special elevator service to same. The hotel will be operated strictly on the European plan, Mr. Hinton states, and the present hotel with 100 rooms will be continued on the American plan.

The ideal location will give the new hostelry ample opportunity to cater to any function or gathering, and it will be equipped with a nice assembly hall and private dining rooms. While the structure will cost several hundred thousand dollars, Mr. Hinton states that he will place $25,000 of stock with Wilmington merchants, if they desire to take it, as it is his desire to give the city a modern up-to-date hotel in which the business men will have an interest.

Mr. Murchison's name as the architect leaves no doubt that the building will be a credit both to himself and the city, and one of which the people of Wilmington will be justly proud.

Mr. Hinton has great confidence in the future of Wilmington and feels certain that by the fall of 1916 conditions will justify the erection of this modern hotel. It will be remembered that when Mr. Hinton purchased the Orton nine years ago there were only 73 rooms and three bath rooms in the building but he has continued to spend money on improvements until now the hotel contains over 100 tiled bath rooms. However, he feels that he has done everything possible to the old building and his progressive nature prompts him to launch out in the interests of a new Orton which shall be bigger and larger than anything heretofore attempted in the city.

BOUND OVER TO COURT ON LARCENY CHARGE

Canady Heard Before Recorder—Many Minor Cases Yesterday

Will Canady, the negro who was arrested several days ago at Delgado, on a charge of larceny, he having at the time of arrest various articles of clothing that apparently didn't belong to him, was given a hearing before Recorder Empie yesterday and was bound over to Superior Court and is now in jail in default of $250 bond.

Tom Pyron and Robert Myers, white, and Tom Guyon and Thomas Wright, colored, were tried for gambling, in Pyroll's room last Sunday night, and taxed with the costs, each paying a part.

Thomas Wright was also tried for an assault with deadly weapon and taxed with costs. Victory Gore, colored, and Edna Douglass, colored, were both tried on charge of assault with deadly weapon and sent to the county roads for 30 days each, in default of costs.

John Holland and Lisbon Noble, both colored, were tried on a charge of assault with deadly weapon, their cases being continued till today. Pete Mosely, colored, assault, case left open.

George St. George, Louis Jacobs, James Brooks, W. D. Polite, all colored, were dismissed upon showing their dog license badges. Carrie English was given a hearing on charge of violating dog license ordinance and her case was nol prossed on her promise to keep her dog out of city. The State gave nol pros. in the case against J. E. Platt, white, for violating dog tax ordinance. The case against Richard Plummer, colored, charged with gambling, was continued to today. Bessie Griffin, colored, on charge of larceny was found not guilty. Dan Teachey, for damage to real property, was found not guilty.

THROUGH SERVICE FROM THIS CITY TO GREENSBORO

Pullman Cars Via of Sanford to Gate City During Summer Months.

Of much interest to the traveling public, especially those desiring to visit the resorts in the vicinity of Wilmington, is the arrangement between the Southern Railway and the Atlantic Coast Line for handling Pullman cars daily during the summer from this city to Greensboro. The first car left Wilmington Thursday and the first eastbound left Greensboro yesterday.

The eastbound cars will be handled on Southern train No. 130 and A. C. L. train No. 52, while the westbound cars will go through on A. C. L. train No. 53 and Southern No. 131.

The schedule is considered a very convenient one, affording easy connections here with many of the important morning train for passengers bound for Wilmington and the east, and a similar service in the afternoon for those returning. The cars will leave Greensboro daily at 12:45 p. m., arriving at Sanford at 3:20, at Fayetteville 4:45 and at Wilmington at 8:05 p. m. Returning the cars will leave Wilmington daily at 8:45 a. m. arriving at Fayetteville at 12:15 p. m., at Sanford at 1:40 and at Greensboro at 4:15 p. m.

Delightful Music
at Lumina by the Richardson Orchestra.—Advertisement.

SOLDIERS GO TO UNVEILING

Fort Caswell Troops to Take Part in Exercises at Guilford Battleground—Big Event.

Two companies of the Coast Artillery Corps, stationed at Fort Caswell, under the command of Capt. E. L. Gilmer, left Wilmington on a special train over the Seaboard yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Greensboro to take part today in the exercises at Guilford Battleground incident to the unveiling of the monument of General Nathaniel Green, who was in command of the American army at the battle fought there on March 15, 1781.

The monument was erected by the Federal government and its construction was under the general supervision of the United State district engineering office in Wilmington. Major H. W. Stickle, U. S. Corps of Engineers, in command of this district, went to Goldsboro yesterday to preside at a hearing relative to the dredging of the Neuse river from that place to Newbern, and today will attend the exercises at the battleground. Mr. R. C. Merritt, assistant engineer in the local office, left last night for Greensboro to be present at the celebration.

The monument is of handsome design, being built of Mt. Airy granite, surmounted by a bronze statue of General Greene. Work was begun on the monument over a year ago and the cost was $30,000. It was designed by Mr. L. F. Packer, a well known sculptor in New York, and the architect was Mr. Albert R. Ross, also of New York.

The exercises will be attended by the governors of a number of the original thirteen states, including Delaware, Maryland and South Carolina.

MR. J. LOWELL WHITE NAMED

Becomes Assistant General Superintendent Transportation A. C. L.

Effective July 1, circulars from the office of the president of the Atlantic Coast Line announce the appointment of Mr. J. Lowell White as assistant general superintendent of transportation of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, with headquarters in this city. Mr. White for the past year has been a special agent, reporting to Mr. Lyman Delano, third vice president of the road, and he now takes the position left vacant upon the appointment of Mr. J. T. King as general superintendent of transportation upon the death of the late Mr. Ed Borden some months ago.

Mr. White has made many friends here since coming to Wilmington from Texas a year ago. He is a gentleman of fine executive ability, engaging personality and will prove a valuable acquisition to the transportation headquarters of the Coast Line in this city.

TO DISCUSS CANNING

Public Discussion of Proposition at Court House This Morning

There will be a public meeting at the Court House this morning at 11 o'clock for the purpose of discussing the matter of organizing a company to establish a canning factory in Wilmington. A representative of a canning concern will be present and will explain his proposition. The meeting is advertised to last only 30 minutes and it is hoped that it will be largely attended.

The establishment of a canning plant for the preserving of vegetables and fruits has been under consideration for some time. Many citizens are interested in the project and it is probable that something definite will be reached within a short time.

ATTEND CELEBRATION

Joseph W. Little, Esq., to Make Several Speeches Next Week

Joseph W. Little, Esq., will attend the Fourth of July celebration at Lake Waccamaw today. He will be the principal speaker at the celebration of the Independent Order of Red Men at Lumberton, Monday, and Tuesday he will speak to the Confederate veterans at Rowland. It will be remembered that Mr. Little is a candidate for Congress in this district and this is the beginning of a campaign in which he expects to assert his fitness to represent the people in the next session. All these celebrations will bring out large crowds and Mr. Little will have an opportunity of doing quite a good bit of missionary work in behalf of his candidacy.

Trip to Lake Waccamaw.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "A party composed of Messrs. John W. Zimmerman, Robert C. Simpson, and C. F. Shuman left yesterday morning for Lake Waccamaw, where they will spend several days upon a fishing trip. The Columbus county lake is one of the State's best known resorts for disciples of Isaak Walton. The journey was made through the country in Mr. Zimmerman's car."

Funeral This Afternoon.

The funeral of the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Thomas, whose death occurred yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at their home at Seagate, will be conducted from the residence of Mr. John Thomas, No. 811 South Seventh street, this afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor of Southside Baptist church. The interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

Not on Pension List.

The Star is requested to state that Maggie Bentley, a white woman, who was before the Recorder Thursday on a charge of vagrancy, is not on the pension list of the county. It was brought out in the evidence that she has been supporting her mother, who is ill, and that she has been making an honest effort to earn a living.

Bloom From Pender.

The Star has received through the A. B. Croom Company, of this city, a "first cotton bloom" from Mr. George W. Walker, of the Staf Park section of Pender county. Mr. Walker has 15 acres of the "Prolific" variety, which is very fine. He is one of the best farmers in Pender as well as one of the county's best citizens.

Infant Son Dies.

Friends will tenderly sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Pigford, in the death of their seven-months-old son, Carl Ferman, which occurred yesterday morning at 4:45 o'clock at their home No. 205 Meares street. Funeral services will be held today.

A real young baby can not talk, but it can give the sweetest smile of approval when it is dusted with Ammen's Prickly Heat & Baby Powder (The Ideal Antiseptic Toilet Powder) good for young and old, lean and fat folks. 25 cents, at your druggist.

Spend Sunday Evening on the river. 15 cents trip Carolina Beach Pier. Steamer Wilmington leaves, 7:30 P. M. ... ... Advertisement ... ...

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH FIRST TO JOIN BUREAU

Plans for Larger Development of Resort Maturing

Will Join in State Campaign of Publicity—Arrangements Being Made for Mass Meeting of Citizens at Early Date

Wrightsville Beach has the honor of being the first formal applicant for membership in the North Carolina Bureau of Publicity for the Development of Agriculture and Industry, which was organized at Raleigh on Monday of this week. This information was contained in a telegram from Mr. J. C. Forester, of Greensboro, in response to day telegraph letter sent yesterday by Mayor Thos. H. Wright, requesting that the town be allowed to join the organization.

Plans for the larger development of the resort are rapidly maturing and preliminary to a mass meeting of the citizens both men and women—women have the right to vote in this town—which will be held at an early date, a meeting of a large committee of property owners will be held next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the directors' room of the Murchison National Bank. The meeting has been called by Mayor Wright.

Mayor Wright yesterday forwarded the following telegram to Secretary J. C. Forester, of Greensboro:

"J. S. Forester, Secretary Greensboro, N. C.,

"The town of Wrightsville Beach wishes to join your North Carolina State Bureau of Publicity for the Development of Agriculture and Industry, and would be glad to remit dues upon advice from you as to confirmation of membership.

"THOS H. WRIGHT,
"Mayor"

The following message was received by Mayor Wright from Secretary Forester yesterday afternoon:

Mr. Thos. H. Wright, Mayor of Wrightsville Beach, Wrightsville Beach, N. C.

"Wrightsville Beach through you has the honor to be the first formal applicant for membership in the North Carolina State Bureau of publicity. Congratulations on the progressive move. Will write details.

"J. C. FORESTER."

It is planned to form a permanent organization, having as its object the promotion of all interests leading to the development of the resort. Among the things that the organization will promote will be the building of a causeway between the island and the mainland, the construction of a large auditorium for conventions, the building of a harbor of refuge for the hundreds of yachts that annually pass up and down the North Carolina coast. The organization will seek suggestions from the public generally as to means by which the resort can be developed.

The time for the mass meeting will probably be decided upon at the meeting of property owners Tuesday afternoon.

As indicated by the telegram of Mayor Wright to Secretary Forester the organization will not simply confine itself to the development of the resort but will seek to do its part towards the opening up of the resources of the entire State.

CELEBRATION 4TH OF JULY

Wrightsville Beach Will Wear Stars and Stripes in Honor

Mayor Thomas H. Wright and the Tide Water Power Company are planning to have a big celebration at Wrightsville Beach on the 5th of July. The Tidewater company has decided to decorate Lumina lavishly in honor of the occasion. The hotels have agreed to decorate and Mayor Wright is endeavoring to interest people in the cottages to make it a grand and glorious occasion befitting the great celebration it commemorates.

Following is a copy of a letter Mayor Wright has written to residents of the beach:

"July 2nd, 1915

"To the Residents of Wrightsville Beach, N. C.

"The Glorious Fourth of July which should stir our patriotic spirit is at hand.

"A fitting manner in which to show this spirit is the decorating of our houses with the flag of our country.

"Therefore, This note is to recommend the scheme for decorating our homes and business places in Wrightsville Beach, and to ask you to join with your neighbors in making the display general and beautiful.

"Yours very truly,
"THOS. H. WRIGHT,
"Mayor."

Real Estate Transfers

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Dixe Land and Development Company to C. W. Polvogt, for $10 and other considerations, lots 32 and 33 in block No. 1 of South Wilmington Heights; Southern Realty & Development Company to J. W. Jones, of Lumberton, for $10 and other considerations, lot on South side of Fifth street, 818 feet east of Lake Side Boulevard, 66 by 125 feet in size; Wilmington Beach Corporation to Mrs. Roberta Russell, for $1 and other considerations, lot No. 21 in block 7 of Wilmington Beach; Cornelia Holley to Mary Holley, for $10 and other considerations, lot in Harnett township, 50 by 100 feet in size.

Road Binder on Market.

The city is applying Standard Oil Company Road Binder on Market street from Seventeenth street to the bridge on the creek at the National Cemetery. Traffic is requested to keep off this street for the present. It will be found nearly as convenient to make trips down Princess street instead while this material is drying.

Meeting of Directors.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held at the association building last night. Reports from the different departments showed that the affairs of the association are in fine shape and that the association is doing good work.

New Home at Winoca.

Ground will be broken Monday at Winoca Terrace between Princess and Chestnut streets for the erection of the home of Mrs. E. P. Brock. The home will be modern and up-to-date in every respect and thoroughly in line with the new homes that are being built on the Terrace.

Monday at Lumina
Take the family and spend the day. Athletic events, dancing, surf-bathing, pictures. —Advertisement.

DRAINAGE BONDS ARE SOLD

Work on New Hanover District Will Begin Next Week—To Be Completed in Six Months.

The bond issue of $22,000 to provide the money for the drainage work of New Hanover drainage district No. 1, embracing an area of about 1,600 acres on the south side of the suburban trolley line from Delgado for a distance of approximately three miles, have been sold and work will begin next week. The contract for the ditching has been awarded to the Southern Drainage and Construction Company, of Kinston, and is to be done under the supervision of Mr. J. L. Becton, a civil engineer, of this city.

The work is to be completed within six months after being started and will open up a large area of fertile soil that is well adapted to the growing of trucking crops. This is the first district in New Hanover county to be organized under the general act of the Legislature which was passed in 1909.

The commissioners which have charge of the project are: Messrs. C. VanLeuven, L. D. Latta and M. F. H. Gouverneur. County Auditor Orrell is treasurer for the funds and the proceeds from the sale of the bonds have been placed in his hands. The property owners will pay the expense of the drainage in yearly assessments extending over a period of 13 years. These assessments will be collected through the county authorities and paid into the sinking fund which will be in the hands of the county treasurer.

In addition to opening up a valuable area of farming land, the drainage of this territory will also add to its healthfulness by doing away with breeding places for mosquitoes. New Hanover being located on a peninsula is easily drained, it being possible to run the water either into the Cape Fear on the west or the ocean on the east with comparatively small expense. It is expected that when the good results to be obtained from drainage are seen in this district that others will be organized in the county.

MANY DONATIONS FOR BABY HOSPITAL YESTERDAY

Wilmington People Are Greatly Interested in New Enterprise.

There is much interest in the baby hospital which has been established in the Bear annex at the James Walker Memorial Hospital and there were a number of additional donations made yesterday by Wilmington citizens. Everything is moving along nicely and the newly established institution bids fair to prove a valuable factor in the saving of lives of infants.

Quite a number of ladies have volunteered to assist in making gowns for the babies, but there is still need for others, who have the time to give to this noble work. More crib sheets and baby pillow cases are also needed as well as cribs and other things. Those wishing to help in any way should phone Mrs. C. L. Pridgen at No. 2085.

Those making donations yesterday were: A. D. Brown, $5; cash donation, $10; C. E. Johnson, crib and mattress; Hazel Love Knight, mattress; Mrs. J. B. Cranmer, mattress; C. W. Yates Company, book supplies; Mrs. J. L. Solomon, bolt of cheese cloth; George O. Gaylord, bolt of muslin for gowns; Mrs. John D. Bellamy, sheets and baby blankets; Independent Ice Company, ice for July and part of September; Mrs. J. D. Kelley, baby shirts.

PASTOR ARRIVES TODAY

Rev. J. E. Reynolds Will Preach First Sermon Tomorrow.

Rev. J. E. Reynolds, of Newbern, who was recently called to the pastorate of Dock Street Christian church, will arrive today and will preach his first sermons tomorrow. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school meets at 10 a. m. and the Christian Endeavor at 7:15 p. m.

The church has been without a pastor for the past 18 months but services have been conducted twice a month during the past year by Rev. Dr. J. C. Caldwell, president of Atlantic Christian College, of Wilson. Mr. Reynolds is a young minister and has held the pastorates of several churches in this and other states.

Brings Fertilizer Materials.

The British steamer Haslingden, Captain Charles Wills, master, arrived in port yesterday with cargo of 2,000 tons sulphur ore for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical company. The vessel came from Pomoron, Protugal and was consigned to Alexander Sprunt & Son.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Messrs. George H. Cannon, T. P. Taylor, J. K. Powers and B. H. Dewey left last evening for a trip of a few days to several Northern points. They will visit Washington, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Atlantic City.

—Privates L. E. Pridgen and E. N. McCormick, of the 31st Company, Coast Artillery Corps, stationed at Fort Caswell, are spending several days in the city en route to their respective homes in Charlotte and Tampa, Fla. They made the trip from Southport to Wilmington in an automobile last night.

—The friends in this city will regret that Mr. H. Dudley Burkheimer is critically ill at his home in Charlotte. Mr. Burkheimer has been ill for two weeks and during the past few days his condition has grown worse and the attending physicians give no hope of recovery. Several relatives from a distance arrived yesterday and are at his bedside.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Mr. A. H. Holmes, of Council's Station, had his home destroyed by fire early yesterday morning, entailing a loss of about $6,000.

—Suit was started in Superior Court yesterday by the Atlantic Coast Line against the Atlantic Coast Veneering Company. The plaintiff is represented by Davis & Davis.

—Mr. John Cooper, a well known farmer and business man of Salemburg, had the misfortune to lose his cotton gin and saw mill by fire yesterday morning at 2 o'clock. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

—Mr. Costin, cashier of the bank of Atkinson, had his residence and all its contents burned early Thursday morning. The blaze was caused by a defective flue. The loss amounts to several thousand dollars, partially covered by insurance.

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REPORT TO THE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Wilmington Savings & Trust Company

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 23RD, 1915.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts other than Demand Loans	$1,890,776.74	Capital	$ 100,000.00
Demand Loans	180,437.76	Surplus	200,000.00
North Carolina State Bonds	14,500.00	Undivided Profits	71,759.85
All other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	15,502.50	Reserve for Dividend due July 1st	3,000.00
Banking House	50,000.00	Dividends Unpaid	77.50
All other Real Estate Owned	2,300.00	Deposits	2,066,807.94
Cash (On hand and in banks)	223,628.29	Building Reserve	5,000.00
Invested Trust Funds	72,500.00		
Total	$2,449,645.29	Total	$2,449,645.29

I, Jno. Lewis Williams, Cashier of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JNO. LEWIS WILLIAMS, Cashier.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 29th day of June, A. D. 1915.

H. S. MEREDITH, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
N. B. RANKIN,
JNO D. BELLAMY, JR., Directors.
J. V. GRAINGER,

POWDER MILL RUMORS STILL GOING ROUNDS

Property Owners Enter Denial of any Knowledge As to Foundation

Like Banquo's ghost the report that Wilmington is to have a DuPont factory will not down. For several days rumors have been going the rounds on the streets that a deal had been closed for property down the Cape Fear river a few miles from Wilmington which would be used for the site of the factory. Indeed, many persons stated emphatically that the deal had been closed for options on property.

However, investigation revealed nothing more than the fact that a Northern woman was in Wilmington for the purpose, as she said, of purchasing a country home. However, she did not, so far as can be learned, close any deal for property.

The reports were to the effect that options had been secured from Mr. James Sprunt on Big Island, down the river, and with Mr. George E. Kidder, Jr., owner of Kendal plantation, which is on the west side of the Cape Fear river, not far distant. Mr. Sprunt declared when told of the rumor that it was the first he knew of it and Mr. Kidder said last night that so far as he was concerned he knew absolutely nothing about it and was at a loss to know how the rumors started.

Other reports were that an option had been secured on The Oaks, a large plantation just back of Big Island, formerly owned by Mr. Sprunt, but sold by him some time ago to people in Brunswick county. Another report was to the effect that an option had been secured on Eagle's Island.

It is understood that the DuPont people made investigations some time ago, relative to the desirability of establishing a factory near Wilmington, but finally decided to locate the factory in Virginia, which they have done.

HELPLESS AS BACY

Down in Mind Unable to Work, and What Helped Her.

Summit Point, W. Va.—Mrs. Anna Belle Emey, of this place, says: "I suffered for 15 years with an awful pain in my right side, caused from womanly trouble, and doctored lots for it, but without success. I suffered so very much, that I became down in mind, and as helpless as a baby. I was in the worst kind of shape. Was unable to do any work.

I began taking Cardui, the womar's tonic, and got relief from the very first dose. By the time I had taken 12 bottles, my health was completely restored. I am now 48 years years old, but feel as good as I did when only 16.

Cardui certainly saved me from losing my mind, and I feel it my duty to speak in its favor. I wish I had some power over poor, suffering women, and could make them know the good it would do them."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, it will certainly be worth your while to give Cardui a trial. It has been helping weak women for more than 50 years, and will help you, too.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

At the Annual State Shoot, held under the auspices of the New Hanover Gun Club—

E. M. Daniels broke 475 out of a possible 500.

J. M. Hawkins broke 474 out of a possible 500.

These were the Highest Scores Made, both using Winchester Shells.

J. H. Staples was the High Amateur for the two days' shoot, using an Ithaca Trap Gun.

W. L. Hefner won the State Championship, using the Remington Pump Gun.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. N. M. Hayes has returned from a visit among friends in Durham.

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Miss Inez Wilkes, of Chadbourn, is visiting Mrs. Chestra VanLandingham, No. 213 Grace street.

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Mr. N. G. Smith and family will leave this morning for a visit of several weeks with relatives in Charlotte.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hamilton and children, of Jonesboro, are guests at Cottage No. 517, at Wrightsville Beach.

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The music at the dance at Greenfield Lake next Monday night will be furnished by Russell's Society orchestra.

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Mrs. G. H. Shepard has returned from Weldon, where she spent several weeks with her father, Mr. J. M. Powell.

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Mrs. James B. Ruark, of Southport, arrived in the city yesterday to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Herbert Stone, No. 208 South Fourth street.

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Mrs. John L. DeLane, Miss Kate Fyron and Miss Kate Wood, of Lincolnton, are expected today at the home of Mrs. DeLane's father, Major L. Leon.

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Miss Ouida Mae Ptae, who was injured a few days ago by an automobile and who had been kept in the city since, has returned to the family summer home at the beach.

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Miss Panthea Harrison and Miss Nina Vinson, of Brinkleyville, arrived in the city yesterday via Enfield, to visit at the home of Mr. E. E. Hunter on South Third street.

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Miss Etta Flynn, who has been in Wilmington for the past month, will leave this morning for Charlotte to join her parents who have removed to that city.

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Miss Nellie E. Pickard left yesterday for Chapel Hill, where she will attend the summer school of the University of North Carolina. Miss Pickard expects to be at Chapel Hill until the close of the session which will be the latter part of this month.

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Miss Mae Gates, of Bolton, who has been in the city for several days visiting friends, left last evening for her former home in Newcastle, Pa. Miss Gates has been the attractive guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. GeBott, of Bolton, for about a year. Mrs. Gebott accompanied Miss Gates as far as Baltimore, Md.

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Bladenboro, N. C., July 2.—Miss Bertha E. Singletary, daughter of the late Monroe Singletary of Bladenboro, and Mr. Robert Sandidg, editor of the Bryson City Times, were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the First Baptist church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. P. Hedgpeth, of Lumberton. The couple left that evening for Montreat to attend the meeting of the North Carolina Press Association. The bride has been a school teacher and has lived with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Haynes Singletary, at Bladenboro.

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Warsaw, N. C. July 2.—Mrs. Isaac Brown and Miss Ella Brown entertained the Thursday Afternoon Rook Club at their home Thursday afternoon from 4:30 till 6:30, with a Fourth of July party. The rooms were decorated with American flags and red, white and blue cut flowers. The score cards represented firecrackers, being made of strips of cardboard in the national colors and having small fire crackers tied on them. There were six tables for Progressive Rook, and when the score was counted, it was found that the prize, a handsome painting in water colors of the national and State flags, had been won by Miss Eula Powell.

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MR. ROBERT BRANCH WEDS IN ELIZABETH, NEW JERSEY

Mr. Robert Branch, who holds a position in the Murchison National Bank, and who is a son of Capt. C. R. Branch, wired relatives here yesterday that he and Miss Lou Rittenhouse, daughter of Mrs. Jennie Rittenhouse, formerly of Wilmington, but for several years living in New Jersey, were married there. Mr. Branch left here last Saturday on the Clyde Liner Cherokee for New York to spend his vacation. The news of his wedding came as a complete surprise to his large circle of friends here. The happy couple will return on the Cherokee Sunday and will be at home to their friends at No. 1610 Market street.

Mr. Branch completed the law course at the University of North Carolina about two years ago and since that time has lived in Wilmington. He has a host of friends who will extend to him and his bride congratulations and best wishes.

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Mrs. Nora Carter and daughter, Miss Gladys, have returned home from Hendersonville and will spend the summer in Wilmington.

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ROCKY MOUNT GIRL BECOMES WIFE OF WILSON LAWYER

Wilson, N. C., July 2.—The announcement here of the marriage last night of Mr. D. M. Hill, one of the young attorneys of the Wilson bar, and Miss Mary Rawles Gilliam, at Rocky Mount, Thursday night was a complete surprise to the many friends of Mr. Hill. The young couple were married at the Episcopal rectory and left Rocky Mount for Virginia Beach, where they will spend two weeks before coming to Wilson to make their home. The bride is a daughter of the late D. N. Gillian, of Rocky Mount, and a very attractive young woman. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill, of Wilson, and is doing well in the practice of his profession.

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DELIGHTFUL HOUSE PARTY BY MR. W. H. SPRUNT, JR.

Mr. W. H. Sprunt, Jr., has as his guests a number of college friends on a delightful house party at the summer home of his parents on Greenville Sound. The guests include Miss Florence Comin, of Birmingham Ala., Miss Mary Carson, Miss Annie Dewey Chambers, Miss Hilda Conyers, Miss Annie Taliaferro, of Charlotte, N. C., Miss Nancy McKay, of Sumter S. C., Miss Mary Wright Taylor, of Wilmington, Mr. McAlister Carson, Mr. Al Reese, Mr. James Carson, of Charlotte, N. C., Mr. Thomas D. Sparrow, of Washington, N. C., Mr. Robery McKay, of Sumter, S. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Sprunt, chaperones.

Last evening about 40 couples of the younger set were entertained at an informal garden party to meet the out-of-town guests.

AGED AND EXILED EX-PRESIDENT OF MEXICO IS DEAD

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and other European cities, a silent observer of still more troublesome times in the land he had long ruled.

HUERTA DEEPLY AFFECTED

Sends Message of Condolence to Mrs. Diaz in Paris

El Paso, Texas, July 2.—General Victoriano Huerta, selected by Profiro Diaz to command the guard that escorted him from his capital to Vera Cruz when he left Mexico, sent this message of condolence tonight to Mrs. Diaz:

"My family, those sons of Mexico who are about me, and I lament the news published in the papers today. The death of President Diaz has removed one of the greatest men the republic produced."

Huerta appeared deeply affected. He was the last man who ordered fired a national salute to Diaz and the official playing of the national hymn. These orders were given at Vera Cruz when Diaz went aboard the steamer Ypiranga. Earlier in the day he and Diaz had embraced each other in the presence of the troops, and Diaz assured Huerta that, while he could see little that was bright in the future, the hope of Mexico rested on the national army.

STATE WITNESSES TESTIFY AGAINST SANITY OF THAW

His Conduct in Canada is Described —Delusions About Girls.

New York, July 2.—The first witnesses to testify at the trial to determine the sanity of Harry K. Thaw that his conduct was irrational, were put on the stand today by attorneys for the state. They were two Canadian immigration officers, Frank McFadden and Henri Giroux, who took part in the forcible deportation of Thaw from Sherbrooke, Quebec, into Vermont.

Both said that when Thaw told in the Sherbrooke jail that he was to be deported he became violent, threw a bottle through a window and shouted that he was being kidnapped. Giroux described his conduct as "dangerously mad."

Two police officers, who were on duty at the tenderloin police station while Thaw was detained there after his arrest for killing Stanford White, gave testimony to support the state's contention that Thaw had delusions on the subject of young girls. Both testified that Thaw ,while in his cell, said h heard young girls screaming.

INDIGESTION REMEDY CAN BE MADE FROM ALFALFA.

Dr. Blackwood Gives Observations to Homeopathists at Chicago.

Chicago, July 2.—Members of the American Institute of Homeopathy concluded their annual convention here today and adjourned.

Alfalfa as a remedy for indigestion and mental depression was recommended by Dr. Alexander L. Blackwood, of Chicago. He told of experiments made with the new remedy at a Chicago hospital.

"During the past year observations were made of the action of alfalfa on 17 persons," he said. "All of them noted that they grew so hungry that they could scarcely wait for their meals. Their minds were clear and bright, all bodily functions were stimulated and it was impossible to have the blues."

SLATON INVITED

Frank P. Flint Asks Him to Visit Los Angeles.

—Los Angeles, Cal., July 2.—Frank P. Flint, former United States Senator from California, representing a committee which sent in the petitions of more than 50,000 Los Angeles for the commutation of Leo M. Frank's death sentence, today invited John M. Slaton, former governor of Georgia, to visit Southern California. The invitation was sent to New York.

Repudiates Accused Husband

Mrs. Florence Schneider Forney

The arrest of T. G. Forney, the Washington lawyer, in Pittsburg on the charge of having made an attack on his father-in-law, T. Franklin Schneider, a candy manufacturer of Washington, has resulted in the repudiation of her husband by Mrs. Forney. She has issued a formal statement repudiating his name forever.

Mrs. Forney signed the statement with her maiden name, Florence Schneider.

"The statement attributed to Tom Forney that he has received a letter from me is false," Mrs. Forney says in her statement. "I repudiate his name. I am too loyal to my father."

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Miss Azalee Sanderling, of Clinton, is a guest at the Oceanic Hotel.

Miss Isabelle Young, of Dunn, is among the guests at the Seashore Hotel.

Miss Lilly Mae Merritt, of Baltimore, who has friends here and at Burgaw, is spending some time at the beach.

Mrs. Tom Baird and daughter, Miss Katherine, of Birmingham, were among the arrivals at the Oceanic yesterday.

Arrivals at the Oceanic yesterday include: Mr. J. W. Noble, of Indianapolis, Ind.; W. B. Jones, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. Lena Baine and Miss Kathleen Baine, Birmingham, Ala.

The moving pictures and the singing of Mr. Peter J. Smith at Lumina were greatly enjoyed by the large crowd which spent the evening at this delightful pleasure spot.

"Greenbacks and Red Skins" and "The Passerby" comprise tonight's bill of pictures at Lumina. The first is a Lubin comedy. The latter is a two-part drama of rural life by the Selig company.

New guests at the Hanover Inn yesterday were: Mr. E. W. Snow, of Greensboro; Miss Mary J. O'Brien, Durham; Miss Rebecca B. Wall, Hillsboro; Mrs. J. J. Disosway, Atlanta, and Mrs. J. W. McKinley, Oglethorpe, Ga.

Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. N. J. Watkins and little daughter, Virgie, of Wilmington, were in the city a short while yesterday returning home from Wake Forest, where they visited relatives."

Mr. H. F. Warren and several friends had splendid luck in catching fish at Masonboro Inlet yesterday. They landed several large drum and many blue fish. It is fine fishing weather and anglers are making good use of their opportunities.

The latest arrivals at the Oceanic are: Mr. J. W. Noble, of Indianapolis, Ind.; Mr. W. B. Jones, Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shivers, Miss Caroline Shivers, Mr. and Mrs. William Alexander, Atlanta; Mrs. E. M. Deloch; Raleigh; Mr. J. H. Bradley, Richmond; Mr. C. Powell, Louisville, Ky.; J. K. Inman, Chattanooga, Tenn.; and C. L. Prouty, Baltimroe, Md.

The children's dance at Lumina last evening was a splendid success, 300 children taking part in the grand march which was led most gracefully by Mrs. Paul Cantwell. Pretty toy souvenirs were distributed to those taking part. Following the dance by the children which was the feature of the evening there were the regular dances for the older people.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mrs. John Walker Miller, of New York, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Chas. C. Hook, at her home on East Morehead street, will leave this morning for Wrightsville accompanied by Miss Margaret Cowles and Master Walter Miller Hook. Mr. and Mrs. Esley O. Anderson have returned home from a week's trip to New York and Atlantic City. They made the trip via water from Wilmington where Mr. Anderson attended a meeting of the North Carolina Bankers' Association. Mrs. W. E. Anderson, of Statesville, who has been with her little grandson, Esley O. Anderson, Jr., for the past several weeks, will return to her home in Statesville Sunday."

Guests at the Seashore Hotel yesterday include: Mr. H. L. Cassporter, of Nashville, Tenn.; Mr. W. H. Hunter and child, Statesville; Mr. Arnett Royer, Mrs. A. H. Royer and Mr. W. H. Cooper, Laurinburg; J. A. Jones, Griffin, Ga.; W. H. Keenan and child, Columbus, Ga.; Miss Clara Young, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. T. W. Clinton, Mr. Randolph Clinton, Mr. Marcus Clinton, Mrs. Folon O'Brien, Mrs. C. A. Calahan, Miss Harriett Calahan, Miss Emmie Barrett, of Birmingham, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Desbro, Misses Mary and Millen Desbro, Atlanta; Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Margaret Clark, Mr. W. H. Hood, Mrs. John M. Scott, Mrs. J. B. Scott, Miss Callie Scott, Mrs. R. L. Gibbons, Miss Carrie Gibbons, Mr. Roger Gibbons, Mr. Louis Gibbons, Miss Alice Gibbons and Mr. Alex Walker, Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Farrar, Mrs. Josh Stewart, Mr. Jacob Strauss, Mrs. C. R. Haskins, Mrs. M. Berhele and Mrs. W. Ahrens and children, Atlanta, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClure, Gainesville, Ga.

GREEK BANDS OCCUPYING VILLAGES IN ALBANIA

First Indication That Greece Intends to Claim Portion of Country.

Rome, July 1 (via Paris, July 2).—A Tribune dispatch from Antivari, Montenegro, says two large Greek bands are advancing toward Berat, Albania, occupying villages along the way.

This dispatch is the first indication that Greece intends to claim a section of Albania. Albania was established after the Balkan wars and borders on the southeast that part of Greece which was awarded her atfer the defeat of Turkey.

Washington, July 2.—Greek legation officials here expressed the belief today that the reported occupation of parts of Albania by Greek troops, if authentic, referred to border raids by irregulars. No official notice of any such military activity has reached the legation.

REPRESENTATIONS ON MISUSE OF U. S. FLAG INCLUDED.

Note to Great Britain Covering Restraint of Commerce.

Washington, July 2.—Representation concerning the misuse of American flags by British merchantmen will be included in the general note which the United States soon intends to send to Great Britain covering restranit of American commerce in connection with the so-called blockade.

Secretary Lansing disclosed today that the investigation being conducted by the United States government into cases of alleged misuse of the American flag to deceive German submarine commanders had not yet been completed, but that evidence in specific cases probably would be called separately while the general subject will be included in the new note.

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JUNIORS HAVE BANQUET

State Councilor Paul Jones, of Tarboro, Speaks to Members of George Washington Council.

State Councilor Paul Jones, of Tarboro, made a most interesting talk on educational progress at the semi-annual banquet of George Washington Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics, in their hall on South Front street last night to an audience of 200 enthusiastic members of the orgnaization. The exercises were opened with the invocation by Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor of Southside Baptist church. Fifteen minute talks were made by Marsden Bellamy and Joseph W. Little, Esqs., Rev. T. C. Ellers and Messrs. F. A. Lord and F. E. Little.

Councilor Jones referred to the fact that the Wilmington school system is the best in the State and that the percentage of illiteracy in New Hanover county is the lowest in the State and lower than the average in the United States. The theme of his talk was the value of education in the development of a country.

Rev. T. C. Ellers spoke on the subject of "The Bible in the Public Schools." Marsden Bellamy, Esq., who is First Councilor of the local council, made a most interesting talk.

Joseph W. Little, Esq., talked instructively on the European situation and the influenuce the war would have on immigration. He was able to see the dark side, but spoke very optimistically. The short talks by Messrs. F. A. Lord and F. W. Little were enjoyed.

Mr. C. H. West, as master of ceremonies, conducted the whole evening's entertainment gracefully and delightfully. Messrs. Ed Register and M. Wolf, as committee of arrangements had everything in fine order and saw that excellent service was rendered to the members who came to enjoy the banquet.

Music was furnished by the West-Whitlock orchestra.

MODIFIED CLOTURE RULE

Senator Kern Believes Such Measure Will Pass Senate.

Washington, July 2.—Senator Kern, majority leader of the United States Senate said today he believed a modified cloture rule would be the first measure adopted by the Senate next session. The special committee, named to devise a cloture that would prevent repetition of filibusters like the one that defeated the ship purchase bill, is expected to report as soon as Congress met.

PRESIDENT WILSON ENDORSES

Expresses Hope For the Success of Americanization Day.

New York, July 2.—President Wilson has endorsed Americanization day, the purpose of which is to bring all the peoples of America into closer unity and a common understanding of American citizenship. The president has written Frank Trumbull, chairman of the National Americanization day committee in New York that he hopes the movement will be successful.

The National Americanization Day committee, recently organized, will request all cities to hold citizenship receptions as part of this year's Fourth of July exercises. The committee will urge, too, the holding of neighborhood meetings in communities not celebrating so that the advantages of citizenship will be emphasized.

GRAND JURY CONDEMNS RECENT MOB VIOLENCE

Special Presentment Returned in Fulton County—Punish Offenders.

Atlanta, Ga., July 2.—A special presentment condemning "the recent manifestations of mob violence in Atlanta and Fulton county, and declaring it to be the duty of the courts to be "active and unrelenting against the offenders and punish them to the limit," was submitted to Judge Hill in superior court by the May county grand jury which was discharged today. Judge Hill, after hearing the presentment read, stated he concurred heartily in everything the grand jury said.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON BUSINESS WAS QUIET

Rallies Followed a Sharp Early Decline—Scattering Local and Southern Liquidation.

New York, July 2.—Rather a sharp early decline in the cotton market was followed by rallies with the close steady net unchanged to six points lower. Business became very quiet during the afternoon.

The opening was easy at a decline of six to nine points in response to the easier ruling or Liverpool and houses with English connections with considerable sellers during the early trading. There was also quite a good balance of scattering local and Southern liquidation. Active months sold 10 to 11 points under last night's closing figures before the end of the first hour.

After the close abroad offerings became much smaller here and prices rallied on covering for over holidays.

Active months sold a point or two net higher on this demand but the advance was checked by realising and fluctuations in the later trading were somewhat irregular. Exports for the day were 12,250 bales far this season 8,140,246 bales. Port receipts 4,-047. United States port receipts 845,-122.

The futures market closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	9.20	9.34	9.20	9.28
October	9.68	9.76	9.64	9.70
December	9.92	9.98	9.87	9.93
January	9.99	10.05	9.93	9.99
March	10.20	10.25	10.18	10.23

Spot cotton quiet, middling uplands 9.60, no sales.

PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling 9; receipts 303; exports 1,572; sales 450; stock 172,-256.

Galveston—Middling 9; Receipts 2,-834; sales 100; stock 155,366.

Mobile—Middling 8.63; receipts 34; sales 125; stock 15,344.

Savannah—Middling 8.94; receipts 263; exports 690; stock 67,744.

Charleston—Receipts 64; exports 6,-400; stock 47,291.

Wilmington—Receipts 34; stock 38,-653.

Norfolk—Middling 8.75; receipts 424; sales 114; stock 50,810.

Baltimore—Stock 2,032.

Boston—Middling 9.60; receipts 60; stock 14,847.

Philadelphia—Middling 9.85; stock 2,025.

New York—Middling 9.60; exports 4,-278; stock 246,189.

Minor Ports—Stock 27,152.

Total today—Receipts 4,021; exports 12,250; stock 839,709.

Total for week—Receipts 37,578; exports 58,315.

Total for season—Receipts 10,593,680; exports 8,129,187.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling 9; receipts 1,088; shipments 1,234; sales 383; stock 67,051.

Memphis—Middling 8.75; receipts 183; shipments 861; sales 125; stock 94,278.

Augusta—Middling 8.88; receipts 159; shipments 1,357; sales 310; stock 84,574.

St. Louis—Middling 9; receipts 250; shipments 300; stock 22,263.

Cincinnati—Receipts 489; shipments 360; stock 18,677.

Little Rock—Middling 9; receipts 5; stock 12,840.

Dallas—Middling 8.55; sales 129.

Total today—Receipts 2,174; shipments 4,212; stock 299,683.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, July 2.—Spot cotton good business done; good middling 5.50; middling 5.20; low middling 4.74.

Sales 12,000 bales, including 11,500 American and 4,000 for speculation and export; no receipts. Futures closed barely steady. July; July and August 5.08½; August and September 5.18½; September and October 5.26; October and November 5.32½; November and December 5.37½; December and January 5.42; January and February 5.46½; February and March 5.50½; March and April 5.55½; April and May 5.58½; May and June 5.61; June and July 5.64½; July and August 5.67½.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, July 2.—Cotton seed oil was heavy, closing 5 to 8 points net lower, scattered liquidation, coupled with poor demand generally and the decline in hog products were the depressing features. There were further July tenders today of 2,000 barrels making 220,000 thus far. Total sales 6,000 barrels. Spot 6.10 bid; July 6.12 to 6.14; August 6.32 to 6.34; September 6.46 to 6.47; October 6.48 to 6.49; November 6.45 to 6.50; December 6.49 to 6.50; January 6.53 to 6.54; February 6.56 to 6.60.

HESTER'S WEEKLY STATEMENT.

Comparisons are to actual dates, not to close of corresponding weeks. In thousands bales.

Total visible this week, 5,658.

Total visible last week, 5,906.

Total visible same date last year, 3,846.

Of this the total American this week, 3,957.

Total American last week, 4,130.

Total American last year, 2,128.

All other kinds this week, 1,701.

All other kinds last week, 1,775.

All other kinds last year, 1,718.

Visible in the United States this week, 1,366.

Visible in the United States this date last year, 511.

Visible in other countries this week, 4,293.

Visible in other countries this date last year, 3,335.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Close Was at a Net Loss After and an Unsettled Session.

New Orleans, July 2.—The cotton market was easy today around the opening and the close, but was steady at the middle of the session and for a while stood at the level of yesterday's close. The close was at a net loss of 4 to 6 points.

Scattered short selling was in evidence nearly all day and was based on poor cables and lack of export business. Weather conditions were not as unfavorable as they have been.

Trading was restricted by the triple holidays in the American markets, following the close tonight.

Futures closed: July 9.06; October 9.49; December 9.89; January 9.79; March 9.98.

Spot cotton quiet and unchanged; middling 9.00. Sales on the spot 150 bales, to arrive 300.

WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW

Government Crop Report Featured Week—Some Doubt of Final Showing of Estimated Decrease

New York, July 2.—The feature of the week in the cotton market was the publication of the Government's crop report on Thursday, estimating the acreage planted at 31,535,000 acres or a decrease of 15.7 per cent. as compared with last year, and the condition at 80.3 per cent. compared with 80 per cent. the previous month and 79 the ten year average.

Trading has continued quiet and fluctuations today were irregular. Government statisticians so far this season have published no interpretation of the condition findings in terms of probable yields and there appears to be quite a general feeling in local circles that such calculations are greatly complicated by uncertainty as to the effect of the reduced use of fertilizers.

Moreover, there appears to be some doubt as to whether final figures on the average will show as big a decrease as the preliminary indication and ideas as to the crop suggested by the condition report have ranged all the way from under 13,000,000 to something over 14,000,000 bales.

Reports from the drygoods trade indicate continued activity among domestic mills, while Liverpool spot sales have been large enough to attract considerable attention.

MARINE.

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Barges.

Barge Ruhamashaw, 749 tons, Seymore, C. D. Mafflitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, July 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady; 38½.

ROSIN—Steady, $2.75 and $2.85 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, $1.70 per barrel; 5c per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $2.50 per barrel for soft; $2.50 per barrel for virgin; $1.50 per barrel for hard.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady, 45¾. Rosin, firm $3.75. Tar, (—) Crude turpentine, firm, $3.50, $3.50, $2.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spihits Turpentine	(—)
Rosin	(—)
Tar	28
Crude Turpentine	2

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 23 casks; rosin, 14 barrels; tar 14 barrels; crude turpentine 9 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal. Quotations same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—34 bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, to date, 274,128 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 377,377 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 2, 1915.

Atlantic Coast Line—34 bales cotton; 18 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Duplin—10 barrels tar.

Total—34 bales cotton; 28 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, June 30.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 80c.; No. 1, machine picked, 75c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Steady. Jumbos 75c.; fancy hand-picked, 60c.; No. 1, machine picked, 55c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Steady. No. 1, small, machine picked, 85c.; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

All receipts, light.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, June 30.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

PEAS—Black-eyed peas, $2.75 per bu. Cow peas, $2.25 per bu.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop, 60@65c.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; very dull.

PORK—Small, 10@11c. per pound.

SHEEP—Dull at any price.

WOOL—Burry, 14@15c.; black wool, 16@17c.; first-class white wool, 20@21c., free, 20@21c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c.; dry flint, 17c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 17@18c.; sides and shoulders, 14@15c. per lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 25c. per lb.; good demand.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 45@50c.; spring, 18@30c. per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—19@20c. per dozen.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co. Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., June 12. — Spanish, Farmers' Stock—Market steady. First quality, 85c. per bu.; Off grade, 30@50c. per bu.

Virginias, Farmers' Stock—Market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 3½c per lb.; Fancy handpicked, 3¼c per lb.; Extra Prime, 3c per lb.; Shelling stock, 2@2½c per lb.

Monday at Lumina

Take the family and spend the day. Athletic events, dancing, surf-bathing, pictures. —Advertisement.

PRICE OF STOCKS CONFUSING

Erratic Course Was Pursued—Standard Issues Varied in Price—Trading Generally Was Dull

New York, July 2.—Stocks pursued an erratic course today, price changes being more than ordinarily confusing. Some standard issues were up while others were lower, the same condition applying to numerous specialties. Trading was dull except during the first and final hours, when the weakness of United States Rubber and St. Jaul created general unsettlement. Initial sales of rubber were at 45 to 46 against yesterday's close of 51 1-8. From this level the stock declined to 44 1-4, making moderate recovery later.

Canadian Pacific fell to 142, and St. Paul fell to 83 3-4 on rumors affecting the maintenance of its dividend.

Steel's strength was ascribed to the optimistic statements of trade authorities which found partial confirmation in further price international bonds, presumably for foreign interest was a feature. Total bond sales, par value $2,810,000. United States bonds unchanged.

New York Stock List.

American Beet Sugar	49
Amalgamated Copper	74¼
American Can	46⅝
American Cities pfd	46¼
American Cotton Oil	46¼
American Smelting	79¼
American Sugar	109½
American Tel. & Tel.	120½
American Tobacco	226⅞
Atchison	100
Atlantic Coast Line	103½
Baltimore & Ohio	76½
Bethlehem Steel	167¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	87¾
Canadian Pacific	142⅞
Central Leather	40¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	38½
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	84¼
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	16⅜
Consolidated Gas	125½
Corn Products	14¼
Erie	26⅜
General Motors	156
Great Northern pfd	118
Illinois Central	100¾
Interborough Met. pfd	75¼
Kansas City Southern	24⅞
Louisville & Nashville	115
Liggett & Myers	225
Lorillard Co.	168
Maxwell Motor Co.	37½
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	9
Missouri Pacific	6½
Mexican Petroleum	74½
National Lead	62⅞
New York Central	88¾
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	62⅜
Norfolk & Western	103
Northern Pacific	105
Pennsylvania	106¼
Reading	147½
Republic Iron & Steel	29½
Rep. Iron & Steel pfd	87⅜
Seaboard Air Line	14
Seaboard Air Line pfd	34½
Sloss Shef. Steel & Iron	34
Studebaker Corporation	77
Southern Pacific	87
Southern Railway	15⅝
Southern Railway pfd	50
Tennessee Copper	36¾
Texas Company	127
Texas & Pacific	12½
Union Pacific	127⅜
United States Rubber	46⅜
United States Steel	60¼
United States Steel pfd	109½
Utah Copper	67⅜
Virginia Caro. Chem.	31
Western Union	66¼
Westinghouse Electric	99⅝

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES MARKET

Savannah, July 2.—Turpentine firm, 39¾; sales 304; receipts 384; shipments 215; stocks 22,551.

Rosin—Firm; sales 1,932; receipts 1,-238; shipments 1,004; stocks 57,598. Quote: A B, 3.10; C D, 3.20; E, 3.25; F, 3.35; G H, 3.45; I, 3.50; K, 3.80; M, 4.30; N, 5.30; WG, 6.30; WW, 6.50.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 2.—Business in cotton goods was dull today. Prices on finished goods were firm. Wool values continued strong, South American wools being well advanced. Cotton yarns were dull. The quotations of the Southern mills showed an easier tendency.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, July 2.—Mercantile paper 3 to 3½. Sterling, 60 day bills 4.7250; demand 4.7635; cables 4.7725. Bar silver 48¼. Mexican dollars 37. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular. Time loans steady, 60 days 2¼ to 2½; 90 days 2½ to 2¾; six months 3 to 3¼. Call money steady, high 1¾; low 1½; ruling rate 1¾; last loan 1¾; closing bid 1½; offered at 1¾.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, July 2—Hogs, weak; bulk 7.45 to 7.70; light 7.45 to 7.85; mixed 7.20 to 7.75; heavy 7.00 to 7.65; rough 7.00 to 7.10; pigs 6.25 to 7.60.

Cattle—Steady; native beef steers 6.85 to 9.90; western steers 7.25 to 8.45; cows and heifers 3.35 to 9.50; calves 7.25 to 10.40.

Sheep—Strong; lambs weak; sheep 5.75 to 6.90; lambs 7.00 to 10.15.

GRAIN MARKET STRONG

Scarcity of Wheat for July Delivery Causes Rise.

Chicago, July 2.—Scarcity of wheat available for delivery on July contracts resulted today in a decided flurry among shorts. After a nearly vertical advance throughout most of the session, the market closed strong at 1 3-8 to 4 1-8 above last night. Corn finished 1-4 to 3-8 to 5-8 to 3-4 up, and oats with a gain of 1-2 to 5-8 to 2 -1-4.

In provisions the outcome was a decline of 5 to 7 1-2 to 7 1-2.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat	July 1.11⅝	Sept.	1.04
Corn	July 74¾	Sept.	73½
Oats	July 47½	Sept.	38⅝
Pork	July 6.77	Sept.	7.77
Lard	July 9.37	Sept.	9.55
Ribs	July 10.32	Sept.	10.62

Cash Grain: Wheat No. 2 red nominal; No. 3 red new 1.18; No. 2 hard, nominal.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 76¾ to 77.

Lumina Pictures Tonight

"Green Backs and Red Skins", a "Lubin" Comedy; and, "The Passerby", a "Selig" drama.—Advertisement.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

July 3, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 77 degrees; at 8 P. M. 79 degrees; maximum 89 degrees; minimum 73 degrees; mean 81 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month to date, .92 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 3.3 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Generally fair Saturday and Sunday.

The Port Calendar, July 1, 1915.

Sun rises	5:05 A. M.
Sun sets	7:27 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 22 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	2:39	3:13	9:51	10:24
Southport	12:23	1:05	6:51	7:17
Masonboro Inlet	12:12	12:54	6:31	6:57

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 2, 1915.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	cldy	86	70	.04
Asheville	cldy	76	58	02
Atlanta	cldy	82	66	02
Augusta	clear	86	70	01
Birmingham	cldy	82	70	.52
Boston	rain	60	60	1.10
Charleston	cldy	88	74	.0
Charlotte	cldy	84	66	.02
Chicago	cldy	82	66	.16
Galveston	pt cldy	86	82	.0
Jaxville	cldy	86	76	10
Memphis	cldy	82	70	.01
Mobile	cldy	92	78	.20
Montgomery	rain	80	78	1.56
N. Orleans	pt cldy	88	78	.0
New York	cldy	74	64	.04
Oklahoma	clear	74	66	.38
Palestine	cldy	90	74	.0
Pittsburg	clear	72	64	1.02
Raleigh	clear	86	72	.0
Savannah	pt cldy	86	70	.0
Shreveport	rain	86	76	.16
St. Louis	cldy	82	64	.02
Washington	cldy	86	68	.04

NEW YORK PROVISIONS MARKET.

New York, July 2.—Spot coffee, quiet; Rio No. 7, 7½; Santos No. 4, 9¾.

Sugar—Raw steady; centrifugal 4.80 to 4.95; molasses 4.03 to 4.18; refined steady.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Barely steady.

NEW ORLEANS WEEKLY COTTON

Small Advance Over Last Week—Boll Weevil Reports Cause Steadiness

New Orleans, July 2.—Cotton made a small advance this week, reacting from last week's decline, the close having been at a net gain of 1 to 6 points. The early part of the week was devoted to evening-up in preparation for the bureau reports on Thursday but while these reports caused much speculation before hand and were regarded as important, prices barely were affected. Business was held down, to a great extent by the triple holiday, which begins Saturday.

Much of the steadiness of the week was due to boll weevil reports from Texas and reports of excessive moisture in Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Much attention is being paid the export situation and cotton interests throughout the south are endeavoring to bring pressure upon England and her Allies to reduce some of the restructions now hampering cotton shipments in order to clear the way for the business of the new season.

Lumina Pumps.

Palm Beach and Tennis Oxfords for the beach at Peterson & Rulfs. 2t (Advertisement.)

10 cents Saturday trip to Carolina Beach. Steamer Wilmington leaves, 2:30 P. M.—Advertisement.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South

Bulletin of Special Round Trip Rates, in Effect From Wilmington.

BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C.	$9.80
RIDGECREST, N. C.	$9.80

On sale July 1, 2, 6, 7, 15, 16, 22, 23 and 29; August 2, 3, 10, 16 and 24; limited returning Midnight seventeen days after date of sale.

KNOXVILLE, TENN.	$15.60

On sale July 2, 3, 10 and 17; limited returning Midnight fifteen days from date of sale.

NASHVILLE, TENN	$20.15

On sale July 22, 23 and 26th; limited returning fifteen days.

MONTEAGLE, TENN.	$20.55

On sale July 1, 5, 8, 15, 22, 29, August 2, 5 and 12th; limited returning midnight, September 4th.

SEWANEE, TENN	$20.55

On sale July 1, 5, 8, 15, 22, 29; August 2, 5, 12; limited returning midnight, September 4th.

CHAPEL HILL, N. C.	$7.30

On sale July 5th; limited returning midnight, August 2nd.

ROCK HILL, S. C.	$8.90

On sale June 30; July 1 and 2nd; limited returning midnight, July 31st.

CHIMNEY ROCK, N. C.	$14.00

On sale May 15th to September 15th, inclusive; limited returning midnight October 31st.

CHICAGO, ILL	$38.60

On sale July 5, 6 and 7th, limited returning midnight, July 16th.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.	$15.15
BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C.	$14.85
EDGEMONT, N. C.	$12.51

On sale May 15th to September 15th; limited returning midnight, Oct. 31st.

WAYNESVILLE, N. C.	$12.60

On sale July 7 to 12, inclusive; limited July 24; On sale July 20 to 23, inclusive, limited August 16; On sale August 6 to 9, inclusive, limited August 28; On sale August 17 to 20, inclusive, limited September 2.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.	$90.20

On sale until November 30th, limited 3 months, not to exceed Dec. 31st, 1915.

RICHMOND, VA.	$8.10

On sale July 5, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21 and 24th; limited returning July 31st.

For tickets, Pullman reservations, or any information, call 'phone 178, or apply to Agent.

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Bulletin of Special Round Trip Fares.

—from—

WILMINGTON

On sale every day until Sept. 15th, limited returning October 31st.

WASHINGTON, D. C.	$16.00
a BALTIMORE, MD	$18.00
PHILADELPHIA, PA	$22.80
NEW YORK	$27.00
b BOSTON, MASS	$31.00
ASHEVILLE, N. C.	$15.15
BREVARD, N. C.	$15.15
HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.	$14.70
LAKE TOXAWAY, N. C.	$15.75
SALUDA, N. C.	$14.15

a—Via Norfolk and steamer, $17.50.

b—Via Norfolk and steamship only.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL	$90.20

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ROCK HILL, S. C.	$8.90

On sale June 30; July 1 and 2; limited returning July 31st.

FOURTH of JULY EXCURSION FARES

To all points within radius of about 350 miles, limited returning July 8.

BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C., RIDGECREST, N. C.	$9.80

On sale July 1, 2, 6, 7, 15, 16, 22, 23 and 29; August 2, 3, 10, 16 and 24; limited to midnight of seventeenth day following, but not including date of sale, prior to which time return trip must be completed.

CHAPEL HILL, N. C.	$7.30

On sale July 5th; limited returning midnight, August 2nd.

WAYNESVILLE, N. C.	$12.60

On sale July 7 to 12, inclusive; limited July 24; On sale July 20 to 23, inclusive, limited August 16; on sale August 6 to 9, inclusive, limited August 28; on sale August 17 to 20, inclusive, limited September 2.

NASHVILLE, TENN	$20.15

On sale July 22, 23 and 26; limited to midnight of fifteenth day following but not including date of sale, prior to which time return trip must be completed.

ASHLAND, VA.	$10.05
CHARLOTTESVILLS, VA	$10.25

On sale June 20th to 28th, inclusive; limited returning midnight of 15th day after date of sale.

KNOXVILLE, TENN	$15.60

On sale July 2, 3, 10 and 17; limited returning midnight of fifteenth day, but not including date of sale.

NEWBERN, N. C.	$1.25

On sale June 29th, limited returning same date.

MONTEAGLE AND SEWANEE, TENN.	$20.55

On sale June 30, July 1, 5, 8, 15, 22, 29; August 2, 5 and 12, limited returning September 4.

CHICAGO, ILL	$38.60

On sale July 5, 6 and 7, limited returning July 16th.

RICHMOND, VA.	$8.10

On sale July 5, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21 and 24th; limited returning seven days including date of sale.

For schedules, reservations and any further informaton, call 'phone 160, or apply to C. M. ACKER, Ticket Agent of the

ATLANTIC COAST LINE
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FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION FARES.

The Atlantic Coast Line announces reduced excursion fares from all points on its line to nearly all destinations within a radius of approximately 350 miles from starting point. Tickets will be sold for use on the going trip on all trains of July 3rd, 4th and 5th, limited returning to reach destination prior to midnight of July 8th, 1915.

For fares, schedules, tickets, etc., 'Phone 160.

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TO CHICAGO
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QUEEN AND CRESCENT ROUTE AND BIG FOUR ROUTE

Southern Railway is now operating through sleeping cars daily on the Carolina Special between Charleston, S. C., and Chicago, Ill., affording excellent connections from and for Eastern North Carolina Points, Goldsboro, Raleigh, Durham, Greensboro and intermediate points, through ASHEVILLE AND THE LAND OF THE SKY.

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Raleigh, N. C.	$37.95
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Goldsboro, N. C.	90.29
Selma, N. C.	89.35

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective July 1, 1915. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 81. 5:25 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia, and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to recieve outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M. and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 80. 12:45 A.M. Daily.
No. 64 5:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. 6:15 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49. 6:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 53. 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52. 3:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily ex. Sun.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 61. 12:50 P.M. Daily ex. Sun.
No. 66. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Pullman Cars between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 57 6:20 P.M. Sun.only.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate points.	No. 58 9:15 A.M. Sun. only.
No. 59. 6:30 P.M. Sun., Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M. Sun., Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P. M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. 9:50 A.M. Daily.
No. 68 7:30 P.M. Sun.only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate points.	No. 69 10:15 A.M. Sun. only.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160-J.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE General Passenger Agent. WILMINGTON, N. C.

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SUMMER SCHEDULE, EFFECTIVE JUNE 1ST, 1915.

Leave Wilmington daily for Carolina Beach and Southport, 9:00 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.

Leave Southport, 11:45 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.

Special Saturday Afternoon Trip to Beach, 10c.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE:

Leave for Carolina Beach, 9:00 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M.

Leave for Southport, 9:00 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.

7:30 trip to Beach Pier and Return, 15c.

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AND

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NEW YORK TO WILMINGTON

S. S. Cherokee ..... Friday, July 2nd
S. S. Navahoe ..... Friday, July 9th

WILMINGTON TO GEORGETOWN

S. S. Cherokee ..... Monday, July 5th
S. S. Navahoe ..... Monday, July 12th

WILMINGTON TO NEW YORK.

S. S. Cherokee ..... Saturday, July 10th
S. S. Navahoe ..... Saturday, July 17th

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Suburban Schedule

In Effect Saturday, June 5, 1915.

WEEK-DAYS

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
6:25 A. M.	6:05 A.M.
6:55 A. M.	7:10 A.M.
7:25 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M.	5:45 P.M.
6:10 P. M.	6:25 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville, and all stations on the Beach.

Lumina Specials stop only at 5th, 7th and 9th streets in Wilmington and at Lumina.

FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
6:00 A. M.	7:05 A.M.
9:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15

GREAT INCREASE IN FOOD EXPORTS

$281,000,000 More Than Normal in Last 11 Months.

WHEAT BIGGEST ITEM

Quantity and Value of That Sent to Foreign Countries More Than Doubled Exports of Last Year—Report.

Washington, July 2.—The share of the United States in feeding the world, a task vastly increased by the European war, was disclosed today in statistics of the Department of Commerce. Foodstuffs valued at $724,000,000 were exported during the 11 months ending June 1. This was the principal factor in the nation's billion dollar foreign trade balance.

The effect of the war is seen in the enormous increase in the value of foodstuff exports compared with the figures for the same 11 months a year ago when the total was $443,000,000.

Wheat Biggest Item.

Wheat formed the biggest item in foodstuffs sent abroad. In all 249,576,000 bushels were exported, an increase of 164,000,000 bushels. It was valued at $319,961,000, showing an increase over the previous year of $239,138,000.

Flour exports were valued at $87,650,000, or $37,638,000 more than the previous period.

Corn exports were valued at $34,542,000, an increase of $28,551,000.

Almost 305,000,000 pounds of bacon were shipped, an increase of 122,000,000 pounds. It was valued at $41,292,000, or an increase of $17,028,000.

Fresh beef exports were 121,487,000 pounds, an increase of almost 116,000,000 pounds; canned beef 65,359,000 pounds, an increase of 61,000,000; pickled beef 28,622,000, an increase of 7,000,000.

Beef Exports Greatly Increased.

Value of beef exported was: Fresh beef, $15,363,000, an increase of $14,652,000; canned beef $10,708,000, an increase of $10,284,000, and pickled beef $3,004,000, an increase of $883,000. Ham and shoulders exported weighed 162,223,000 pounds, valued at $22,425,000, an increase of $1,734,000. Lard exports amounted to 441,702,000 pounds, valued at $48,917,000. The increase was small.

Exports of cotton seed oil, extensively used as a foodstuff, amounted to $19,503,000, an increase of $6,643,000.

Cotton exports were 8,103,097 bales, or 766,394 bales less than the previous year, but their value, $360,370,000 showed a derecase of $231,355,000.

A statement on the meat and dairy products trade issued today by the department of commerce said:

Imports of Meat.

"Imports of meat and dairy products into the United States in the ten months preceding May 1 last were three times the value of those for a like period two years ago and seven times those of the entire fiscal year 1905, aggregating $38,000,000.

"Our imports of meat are mainly supplied by Argentina.

"The United States still exports far more meats than it imports, for although there have been record-breaking arrivals in the last two years exports have been even larger. Returns for ten months indicate that the value of meat and dairy products exported this year will once more attain the $200,000,000 level that marked the decade prior to 1909.

"A study of the official figures shows that while the imports have consisted chiefly of beef and mutton in the primary stages of preparation, the exports have included considerable quantities of bacon, hams, lard, canned and preserved meats and other meat products in a more or less advanced state."

A PROSPEROUS FARMER

Mr. F. A. Cason, of Parkersburg, Has Fine Corn and Cotton

A representatve of The Star had the pleasure yesterday of viewing a fine field of 75 acres of cotton on the farm of Mr. F. A. Cason, of Parkersburg. It was as fine as he has seen in hs extensive travels over the Eastern section of the State. Mr. Cason also believes n raising corn and has a field of 75 acres that will compare favorably with that to be found anywhere in this section. Mr. Cason is not only a progressive merchant but is also one of Sampson's leading farmers.

The Star man also had the pleasure of seeing a fine O. I. C. sow and litter of pigs which Mr. H. E. Peterson, a prosperous farmer of Burgaw, sold this week to a gentleman at Clinton.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ENDS ITS INVESTIGATION.

Finds Cleveland Manufactory is Not Engaged in Making Bombs.

Washington, July 2.—Investigation by the Department of Commerce of a Cleveland, O., manufacturing company's advertisement of a machine for making acid bombs ended today and Acting Secretary Sweet announced that no further action was contemplated.

Assistant Solicitor Edward T. Quigley, who conducted the inquiry to determine whether there had been violation of neutrality or of the laws of humanity, returned to Washington today and submitted an informal report. He found, according to Sweet, that the Cleveland company manufactures no bombs or shells, but turns out machines for drilling metals. It was explained that similar advertisement would not be published hereafter.

FLAG OFFICERS TO CONFER.

Will Plan Summer Activities of the Atlantic Fleet.

Washington, July 2.—Flag officers of the Atlantic fleet and probably Navy Department officials, including Rear Admiral Benson, chief of operations, will gather at Newport for a conference regarding summer activities when the fleet assembles off Rhode Island next week. The itinerary of the ships will be announced tomorrow.

Plans for the summer, Admiral Benson said today, contemplated maneuvering by divisions with occasional mobilization of the entire fleet. The destroyers will participate, but the submarine flotilla will devote the summer to overhaul and repair work.

Ships will be sent to various Atlantic coast ports to participate in Fourth of July celebrations.

RECORDS IN ABERNETHY MATTER ARE EXPUNGED

All Except That Charging Solicitor With Contempt.

Judge George W. Connor Reviews Case at Newbern and Takes Action Which Satisfies Solicitor as Complete Vindication

(Special Star Telegram)

Newbern, N. C., July, 2.—The final act in the famous Judge Frank Carter-Solicitor Chas. L. Abernethy contempt case took place today when Judge George W. Connor, before whom Solicitor Abernethy made an appeal to have stricken from the records of Craven court the various records made thereon by Judge Frank Carter and which were detrimenal to his official and personal character, rendered his decision.

This decision covers more than a dozen typewritten pages and the jurist goes fully into the details and makes each one plain. In the whole it orders that all the records placed on the records of Craven Superior court, with the exception of that in which Judge Carter holds that Solicitor Abernethy was acting in contempt of the court by refusing to sit down when told to do so, should be stricken off and the clerk of the court was ordered to do this.

In the handing down of this decision, Solicitor Abernethy is completely vindicated, his friends claim. Every record made by Judge Carter with the exception of one (and the legislative investigating committee held that Solicitor Abernethy had enough provocation to make him act in contempt of the court) has been ordered wiped off of the court records and, so far as they will henceforth show, the incident never occurred. In concluding his decision in the case, Judge Connor has this to say:

"The undersigned judge finds the following facts:

"That at the time the said papers were filed and ordered entered upon the minute docket of this court, no matter was pending in this court or before the presiding judge at said term to which the said papers or either of them had any relation which they or either of them were in any way connected.

"That said paper contained reflections upon the personal and official conduct of Charles L. Abernethy, the solicitor of this district, made by the presiding judge without any lawful authority and not in the exercise of any jurisdiction conferred upon him by law.

"That said papers were filed and entered upon the record of this court over the protest of the said Charles L. Abernethy are prejudicial to his rights as a citizen and as a public officer and are not now and have never been any proper part of the records of the court.

"Upon the foregoing findings and conclusions, the undersigned judge holding the courts of the Fifth Judicial district and presiding at the June term, 1915, of the Superior court of Craven county, orders:

"That the clerk of the court will withdraw from the records of this court the following papers:

"A. That certain paper entitled, 'Statement of Judge Presiding', which he directs to be entered upon the minutes of the court, signed 'Frank Carter, presiding.'

"B.—That certain paper being a reply to the foregoing statement addressed to Hon. Frank Carter presiding, and signed, 'Charles L. Abernethy, solicitor.'

"C.—That certain paper entitled State vs James Baugham, memorandum signed, 'Frank Carter, presiding.'

"D.—That certain paper being a protest addressed to Hon. Frank Carter, judge presiding and signed by Charles L. Abernethy dated February 18, 1915.

"E.—That certain paper entitled State vs James H. Baugham, supplement memorandum and order, signed by Frank Carter, judge presiding.

"That the clerk of this court will file each and all of said papers together with the motion of Charles L. Abernethy and the affidavits filed with said motion and this order in an envelope and hold the same subject to the application of any person interested to the court for further order with respect to the disposition of said papers.

"That the clerk of this court will draw across the entries hereinafter mentioned on the minute docket line words on the margin of the pages on words on the margn of the pages on which said entries have been made, to wit, 'Canceled and expurged by order judge regular holding courts of Fifth Judicial district, spring term, 1915, made at June term, 1915."

CAPE HAITIEN QUIET

Haitien Government is in Control of Situation, is Report.

Washington, June 2.—Quiet prevails at Cape Haitien and the Haitien government is in indisputed control, said a cablegram to the Navy Department today from Rear Admiral Caperton, recently sent to the island with the Washington to protect foreign interests.

The admiral reported that marines landed by the French cruiser Des Cartes when foreigns were threatened two weeks ago as a result of the revolution had re-embarked and he had not thought it necessary to land a force to replace them.

President Sam's government, said today's report, controls all towns in the vicinity of Cape Haitien and apparently the revolutionists have received a severe check.

The Haitien situation has been discussed by President Wilson with Secretary Lansing since the latest revolution became serious and a change in the American policy toward the republic has been considered.

BOMB EXPLODED IN NATIONAL CAPITOL

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an immense plate glass mirror had been demolished and that part of the ceiling and walls were torn down.

Persons who reached the capitol soon after the explosen ocurred said they noticed the odor of burned powder which persisted for some time.

Elliott Woods, superintendent of the capitol building, Sergeant At-Arms Higgins of the Senate, and the head of the capitol police, who directed the inquiry, refused to give any theory of the cause of the explosion until the investigaton was completed.

CALOMEL WHEN BILIOUS? NO! STOP! MAKES YOU SICK AND SALIVATES

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Is Harmless To Clean Your Sluggish Liver and Bowels.

Ugh! Calomel makes you sick. It's horrible! Take a dose of the dangerous drug tonight and tomorrow you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone tonight on my guarantee.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

CONDITIONS IN MEXICO CITY NOT SO SERIOUS

First Reports of Starvation Were Exaggerated.

Persons Arriving in Vera Cruz from the Capital Tell of Little Looting of Grocery Stores—State Department Statement

Washington, July 2.—The situation in Mexico City has been painted worse than it is and the city does not face actual starvation, according to reports reaching the State Department today from refugees at Vera Cruz who left the capital Tuesday.

Accordng to these advices looting has been confined largely to small grocery stores.

The Department issued the following summary of the dispatches:

"The State Department is in receipt of a telegram dated July 1, from Vera Cruz stating that several persons who left Mexico City Tuesday en route to the United States bring reassuring reports as to the situation there. They report that while there has been some sacking, it has been confined mostly to small grocery stores by crowds of women. They state that the condition of the poorer class has not reached the point of actual starvation.

"It is reported in Vera Cruz that 1,500 Villistas have left Mexico City and gone north".

SAYS BECKER HAD NO PART IN MURDER

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appeals, who wrote the prevailing opinion denying Becker a new trial, and explain to him the facts relating to Webber, and also the statement from Martin T. Manton, counsel for Becker, that W. Bourke Cockran, his law partner, is going to make an appeal to the United States Supreme Court in Becker's behalf basing it on the theory that Becker was not convicted by due process of law.

Based on Newspaper Articles.

Manton in making the announcement that W. Bourke Cockran plans to appeal to the United States Supreme Court, said the appeal would be based on newspaper articles, published prior to the trial to the refusal of the application for a change of venue without a hearing and the extraordinary position of Governor Whitman at the present time, since he was instrumental in convicting Becker and is now the only one in position to save him. Becker, Manton said, was unable to exercise his constitutional right to have his case finally passed on by an impartial reviewer.

Manton declined to discuss a report that Becker was prepared to reveal a story that six other men shared in whatever funds he was reported to have collected while a police officer. He made it plain, however, that Becker's reason for doing so was not so much to save himself as to prevent others from falling into a situation similar to that which he now faces.

Whitman Refused to Comment

Albany, N. Y., July 2.—Governor Whitman declined to comment on the assertion of Sam Schepps that he knew "the secret in the Becker case," other than to say he would consider any evidence placed before him properly.

Webber Makes Denial.

Passaic, N. J., July 2.—Bridgie Webber, at his home here tonight, denied that he had given H. T. Marshall, his former attorney, any information regarding Charles Becker.

"I told my whole story at the two trials," said Webber, "and I am through with the whole thing."

CHICAGO BRICK PLANTS AND LUMBER YARDS CLOSED

No Deliveries of Material Until Carpenters' Strike is Settled.

Chicago, July 2.—Forty-three of Chicago's largest lumber yards and sixty-five brick making plants were closed for business today, throwing several thousand men out of employment. The establishments announced they would not make deliveries of any building materials until the strike of 16,000 carpenters is settled.

The eleventh hour decision of the allied building construction and material interests to continue manufacturing operations but not selling, placed a more optimistic aspect on the lockout against the carpenters and other striking building trades workmen.

No building material, however, will be permitted to reach any building, contractor or manufacturer in Chicago, it was declared, until industrial peace is restored.

Fall River, Mass., July 2.—The directors of the Barnaby Mills, manufacturing gingham fabrics, have decided to suspend operations indefinitely, it was announced today. About 1,000 employees will be affected. The directors say there is no market for the goods on hand.

Special Saturday trip, 2:30 P. M. to Carolina Beach and return, 10 cents.—Advertisement.

Do you want to *buy* or *sell* anything? No matter *what* it is—a house, a dog, a piano, what not—use our classified ad. department.

The *logic*—and the *reality*—is this:

You find the seller who *wants to sell* and the buyer who *wants to buy.*

Diversions at Lumina Tonight

Week-end dance and Richardson's Orchestra.—Advertisement.

The Don Richardson Orchestra plays for the week-end dance tonight. Advertisement

Business Locals

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amount being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city, for advertisements in this department, upon request by 'phone to No. 51. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams or advertisements for the Star, but a small charge for Strictly Messenger Service. Telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams and bills will be rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union," but for advertisements always call the Star office, No. 51. Advertisements cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them. Contract advertising inserted "till forbid" will be discontinued only on written notice from the advertiser.

AT LAST DISCOVERED—THE UNION Suit without the Flap seat, it's the "OLUS", the Union Suit that opens down the leg like a coat. J. M. Solky & Co., Sole Agents, Phone 617, No. 9 North Front street. jl 3-1t

ICE CREAM — THE DELICIOUS kind. In vanilla, chocolate, strawberry, peach, pineapple, cherry. Phone 120 and "be pleased", Frost Ice Cream Company. jl 3-1t

GOSSARD CORSETS, FRONT-LACED, demonstration July 1st to 10th, at Polvogt Co.'s store. jy1,3-2t

LOST—BETWEEN PARSLEY COTTAGE and Lumina, on board walk or at Lumina, amethyst pin. Return to Mrs. W. M. Parsley. jl 3-1t

NEW WAY MARKET—SATURDAY Specials: 350 fine fat chickens, broilers and frying size; fresh country eggs, safety first bacon, chilled cantaloupes, watermelons, strawberries, huckleberries, 200 baskets the best peaches ever offered in Wilmington; lemons, 19 cents per dozen, the nice large kind; native spring lamb, fancy line, 4th July; pickles, celery, parsley, okra, butter beans, corn and lots of other eats. Phone 816 and 817. W. H. McEachern. jl 3-1t*

MISS ETHEL CHRISTY WILL DEmonstrate Front Laced Gossard Corsets at Polvogt's, July 1st to 10th. Will exhibit a Summer and Bathing Corset. jy1,3-2t

LADIES ARE INVITED TO ATTEND the Gossard Front Laced Corset demonstration at Polvogt's, July 1st to 10th. Miss Ethel Christy will be the demonstrator. jy1,3-2t

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESman for a strong Crockery, China and Glassware line. May be handled on highly remunerative basis, on commission, in connection with other non-kindred lines. State names of former employers as references. Address "Importer," 32 Howard street, Baltimore, Md. jy2-3t

FOR SALE—EXCELSIOR TWIN MOtorcycle, first class condition. With all equipments. Address "Motor" care Star. jl 3-1t

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MECHANICS' HOME ASSOCIATION, 208 Princess street. Take stock now. A good investment. je30-4t

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NEW SERIES OF THE BROOKLYN B. & L. Association will open July 3rd; we want you as a subscriber; our books are now open. Geo. B. Applewhite, Secretary and Treasurer. je23-11t

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FOR SALE — ONE LARGE, NEW TAble; size, about 7x3½; suitable for tailoring or dress-making. Will sell at cost. 320 Dock st. my 31-tf

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RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,570,805.69	Capital	$ 250,000.00
Overdrafts	2,842.91	Surplus and Profits	60,075.94
U. S. Bonds, at par	275,000.00	Dividends Unpaid	132.00
Other Bonds	55,839.00	Bills Payable	220,000.00
Real Estate	42,000.86	Special N. C. Bond Account	45,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	8,450.00	Circulation Secured by U. S. Bonds	250,000.00
Bank Building, Furniture and Fixtures	45,662.65	Special Building Fund.	10,000.00
Cash on Hand and Due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer	269,118.24	Due Banks	223,563.46
		Deposits	1,200,947.95
Total	$2,269,719.35	Total	$2,269,719.35

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STATEMENT CONDITION
THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK
OF WILMINGTON, N. C., AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 23, 1915

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discount	$4,638,915.43	Capital Stock	$1,000,000.00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	810,000.00	Surplus and Net Profits	645,796.44
Bank Building	479,424.97	Circulation	750,000.00
Bonds and Other Securities	233,900.00	Special Deposit Bonds	115,000.00
Liquidation Account Southern National Bank	116,012.20	Bills Payable	205,000.00
		Special Reserve	21,000.00
Cash and Due by Banks	1,111,840.11	Deposits	4,653,296.27
	$7,390,092.71		$7,390,092.71

DEPOSITS

June 23rd, 1913 ..... $3,425,912.90
June 23rd, 1914 ..... $4,040,422.35
June 23rd, 1915 ..... $4,653,296.27

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